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CORRIGENDA.

Vol. I, No. 149, 3rd line read "1827" and not "1829."

" " " 1290, read "one" child named Cora Dalia.

" " " 1405, name of youngest child is "Luanna," not "Phianna."

" " " 1672, should read "Lizzie Ann" not "Lucinda" and child's name is "Delton V." not "Dilvor." See No. 3522.

" " " 2322 came to Canada in 1812 and to Waterloo in "1815" not in "1817."

" " " 2332 died in infancy.

" " " 2340, names of children are Essie, Bertha, Hilda, Stanley, Evangeline, and Leroy.

" " " 2950, name of youngest son should read "Edward" not "Archibald Clyde."

" II, " 7647, in 5th line from top, read "1721" not "1821."

" " " 8033, 3rd line should read "27th" not "22nd."

" " " 8034, 2nd line should also read "27th" not "22nd."

" " " 8065, 2nd line read "David Angeny" not "David Wagner."

BIOGRAPHICAL HISTORY OF WATERLOO.

MARTIN.

4292 I MARTIN, DAVID, the old progenitor of this numerous family, emigrated from Switzerland to America in 1727. It is not known whether he was married when he came nor where he settled. Some think he had first settled in Virginia, but not finding many of his co-religionists there he moved north to Pennsylvania where he settled in Lancaster County among his own class of people. It cannot be ascertained at so late a date to whom he was married nor what number of children he had. He died in 1763,* aged about 62 years, thus making him about 26 years of age when he came to America. We know that he had two sons for a certainty but there may have been more whose descendants never came to Canada. These two were named II Henry and II Abraham.

4293 II MARTIN, HENRY, who was a minister and bishop of the Mennonite denomination, was married to Anna Burkhard and resided at Blue Ball, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. They had a family of five children, namely: III David, III Peter, III Abraham, III Henry, and III Veronica. III Peter with his family moved to Canada in 1819. Of the others and their descendants no information has been received.

* According to Deacon David Martin's statement.

4294 II MARTIN, ABRAHAM, brother to II Henry Martin, resided in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He was married to Barbara Oberholtzer. Their family consisted of several children, but the name of only one has been handed to the writer, namely III David who came to Canada in 1820, while his cousin, III Peter, came the year before.

We shall first give the family of III Peter Martin and his descendants, then that of his cousin, III David Martin, and his descendants, and finally the descendants of IV Abram B., son of III Abraham Martin, brother to III Peter Martin who settled two miles north of Waterloo.

4295 III MARTIN, PETER, was born in West Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 26th, 1769. He was married to Anna Zimmerman, December 25th, 1793. She was born February 18th, 1775. He followed farming in his native state, but owing to the poor harvests for several years in succession, together with low wages and many business failures, caused him to make arrangements with his numerous family to move to Canada. Two of his daughters, IV Barbara, married to David Martin and IV Maria, married to Christian Zimmerman, remained in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, while the parents with fourteen of their children, together with Daniel Weber and others, moved to Canada in 1819. They, at their arrival here, settled first on the farm now owned by Dilman Shantz and the heirs of the late Abraham Groff, but not finding this to their taste they finally located on the farm now possessed by Menno Gingerich. Here they resided until their deaths. He died March 2nd, 1831, and she died December 12th, 1836. They had a family of seventeen children, all of whom were married.

4296 IV MARTIN, HENRY, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 16th, 1794, and died on his farm now in possession of his son, Elias,

June 8th, 1853. He was married to Catharine, daughter of Jacob and Magdalena (Bricker) Miller. She was born November 4th, 1803, and died after an illness of a few months, October 2nd, 1870. They had a family of ten children, viz:

4297 V MARTIN, REV. PETER, the eldest son of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin, was born in Woolwich Township, Waterloo County, September 30th, 1820. On October 17th, 1843, he was married to Mary, daughter of Christian J. and Magdalena (Shantz) Schneider. She was born December 14th, 1822. On October 31st, 1843, they moved about a mile south of Elmira, on their farm then all bush save a few acres, where they still reside. Their family consisted of six children, viz:

4298 VI MARTIN, JOANNAH, was born July 28th, 1844. On February 28th, 1865, she was married to Menno, son of Daniel Good. They reside a little more than a mile south of Elmira and have a family of eight children, viz:

VII NOAH, born January 21st, 1866, is unmarried and a carpenter by trade.

VII CATHARINE, born September 1st, 1867, is married to Levi Lichty. See Levi Lichty's family.

VII LEAH, born March 18th, 1869, is unmarried.

VII AMOS, born December 20th, 1872, is unmarried.

VII MARY, born May 16th, 1875, is unmarried and resides with J. Baumann.

VII HENRY, born October 19th, 1878, resides at home.

VII ELIZABETH, born March 28th, 1880, is home.

VII MENNO, born December 29th, 1882, is home.

4299 VI MARTIN, HENRY S., was born September 18th, 1845. He is a farmer and resides three miles north of Elmira. He was married, March 8th, 1868, to Leah, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Martin) Good. She was born December 29th, 1846. They have no family.

4300 VI MARTIN, AMOS S., was born September 26th, 1849. On December 10th, 1872, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Isaac and Magdalena (Groff) Musselman. She was born December 25th, 1853. They reside in Elmira and have a family of eight children, namely: VII Norman, VII Lydia Ann, VII Mary Ann (dead), VII Angeline, VII Isaac, VII Peter, VII Catharine, and VII Angus.

4301 VI MARTIN, MARY ANN, was born January 23rd, 1854. On September 23rd, 1873, she was married to David M., son of David and Nancy (Musselman) Baumann. See No. 475.

4302 VI MARTIN, ELI, was born October 11th, 1857. He is a farmer and resides on his father's old homestead. On February 1st, 1881, he was married to Nancy M. Baumann. She was born December 23rd, 1862. They have seven children, namely: VII Daniel, VII Leah, VII Mary (dead), VII Susannah, VII Nancy, VII Eli, and VII David.

4303 VI MARTIN, CATHARINE, was born March 27th, 1861. She is married to Martin M. Brubacher. See No. 1407.

4304 V MARTIN, MAGDALENA, the eldest daughter of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin, was born in Woolwich Township, Waterloo County, December 8th, 1822. On March 17th, 1840, she was mar-

ried to Joshua Y., son of Jacob and Mary (Yost) Shantz. See Joshua Y. Shantz's family.

4305 V MARTIN, NANCY, the second daughter of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin, was born October 23rd, 1826, and died March 29th, 1885.

4306 V MARTIN, ELIAS, the second son of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin, was born July 19th, 1828. On November 19th, 1850, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob and Susannah (Snyder) Shantz. She was born June 2nd, 1831. After their marriage they moved on his father's place where they resided until December, 1887, then they moved on the old "Daniel Good Farm" which he had shortly before purchased. Here they still reside with their son, Jacob, who has rented the place. They have had a family of nine children, viz:

4307 VI MARTIN, HANNAH, the eldest in family, was born November 3rd, 1851. She is married to Amos Weber. See Amos Weber's family.

4308 VI MARTIN, CATHARINE, was born August 1st, 1853. She is married to Noah Martin. See Noah Martin's family.

4309 VI MARTIN, BLANDINAH, was born May 1st, 1855. She is married to Sidney Snyder, a farmer. See Sidney Snyder's family.

4310 VI MARTIN, SUSANNAH, was born April 11th, 1857. She is married to Menno Baumann. See No. 152.

4311 VI MARTIN, LYDIA, was born December 9th, 1858. She is married to Amos Baumann. See No. 161.

4312 VI MARTIN, MENNO, the eldest son, was born September 11th, 1861. He is a farmer and resides

on the old "Henry Martin Farm" about a mile north of the Martin Mennonite Church. He is married to Anna Sitler. They have no family.

4313 VI MARTIN, MARY ANN, was born May 14th, 1865. She is married to Daniel Weber, a farmer. See Daniel B. Weber's family.

4314 VI MARTIN, JACOB S., the second son, was born September 10th, 1868. He resides on the old "Daniel Good Farm." His wife is Rachel Clemmer. Their family consists of one child named VII Nathan.

4315 VI MARTIN, VERONICA, seventh and youngest daughter, was born May 22nd, 1871. She is unmarried and is home with her parents.

4316 V MARTIN, SUSANNAH, the third daughter of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin, was born August 27th, 1830, and died July 18th, 1835.

4317 V MARTIN, CATHARINE, the fourth daughter, was born November 29th, 1834. On November 6th, 1855, she was married to Joseph S. Shantz. See Joseph Shantz's family.

4318 V MARTIN, LYDIA, the fifth daughter, was born March 26th, 1837. On June 3rd, 1862, she was married to Jacob Groff. See Nos. 3388 to 3394.

4319 V MARTIN, LEAH, the sixth daughter, was born October 31st, 1838. She was married to John Lichty and died February 5th, 1891. See John Lichty's family.

4320 V MARTIN, HENRY M., the third son, was born November 17th, 1843. He resides near Conestogo, on old George Lichty's farm, and is married to

Nancy, daughter of George and Sarah (Baumann) Lichty. She was born October 24th, 1848. Their family consists of three children, viz:

4321 VI MARTIN, MARTHA, was born November 28th, 1868, and died November 28th, 1868.

4322 VI MARTIN, NAOMI, was born August 16th, 1869, and died August 17th, 1869.

4323 VI MARTIN, SELINA, born January 20th, 1873.

4324 V MARTIN, DAVID M., the fourth and youngest son of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin, was born June 27th, 1846. He is a farmer and resides in Peel Township, Wellington County, and is married to Mary Ann, daughter of John E. and Magdalena (Musselman) Brubacher. She was born January 4th, 1850. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Amanda, VI Leander, and VI Reuben.

4325 IV MARTIN, BARBARA, the eldest daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 1st, 1795. She was married to David Martin, a farmer. They resided in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, where they both died. They had a family but no information received of them at time of printing.

4326 IV MARTIN, MARIA, the second daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, near Blue Ball, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. She was married to Christian Zimmerman. They resided in East Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, near Spring Grove, where they both died. They had a family

of eight children, the oldest of which (name not received) died in infancy. Names are as follows:

V MARY, was married to Rev. John Weaver. They resided at Wakarusa, Indiana, where they had a family but names of children were not received.

V CATHARINE is married to Rev. Jacob Zimmerman. They reside at Mechanicsburg, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. They have a large family but names of children were not received.

V JOHN is married to Maria Kurtz and resides in Caernarvon Township, where he is engaged in farming. They have a family.

V PETER is married to Magdalena Martin. They reside in East Earl Township where he is engaged in farming.

V CHRISTIAN is married to Mary Martin. They also reside in East Earl Township where he follows farming.

V LEVI is married to Phianna Martin. They reside in Ephrata Township, Lancaster County. He is a farmer.

V REBECCA, the youngest in family, is married to Abram Martin, a farmer. They reside near Churchtown, Caernarvon Township, Lancaster County.

4327 IV MARTIN, CHRISTIAN, the second son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, October 16th, 1797. He came to Canada with his parents in 1819, and shortly thereafter was married to Esther, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Martin) Stauffer. She was born February 7th, 1796, and died October 21st, 1851. They settled on part of lot No. 18, German Com-

pany's Tract, Woolwich Township, (Heidelberg Station is now situated on their farm). Here he died November 23rd, 1863. They had a family of thirteen children, viz:

4328 V MARTIN, MARIA, was born June 15th, 1820. On May 4th, 1840, she was married to Jonas, son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Zimmerman) Wenger, and died in 1858. See Jonas Wenger's family.

4329 V MARTIN, MAGDALENA, was born July 6th, 1821. On September 4th, 1849, she was married to Joseph Kinzie who was born March 4th, 1811, and died June 28th, 1871. See Joseph Kinzie's family.

4330 V MARTIN, LYDIA, was born November 29th, 1822, and was burnt with the house, February 11th, 1827.

4331 V MARTIN, LUCY, was born November 7th, 1824. She was burnt with her sister, Lydia, February 11th, 1827. The father was engaged in breaking flax and in order to have it perfectly dry, had it placed around the large fire-place in the kitchen. A spark from the hearth fire ignited the flax and tow in the room and in a few minutes the whole house was enwrapped in flames. The wife and youngest child had barely time to make good their escape while two of the children who were sleeping upstairs, were forgotten in the excitement and thus proved a prey to the flames ere kind and willing hands could make any effort to save them.

4332 V MARTIN, HENRY, was born September 30th, 1826, and resides in Peel Township, Wellington County, near Yatton P. O. He is a contractor and builder. On May 2nd, 1852, he was married to Mary Eisenhauer. Their family consists of two children, viz:

4333 VI MARTIN, JOSHUA, the eldest, resides in Wallenstein, Ontario. He was married twice, first

to Mary Renshaw and after her decease to Fredericca Reitzel.

4334 VI MARTIN, CLARA, was married to Sebastian Schwalm. They reside in Guelph, Ontario, where he is engaged in Mr. Goldie's large roller mills.

4335 V MARTIN, HIRAM, was born February 10th, 1829. He is a carpenter and has his place of business on Weber Street, Berlin, where he is at present engaged in manufacturing washing machines for Reinhart Bros. On October 5th, 1851, he was married to Esther, daughter of Peter and Mary Ann (Clemens) Erb. She was born September 17th, 1834, and died at Elmira, March 31st, 1867. On November 12th, 1867, he was married to Mary Ann Erb, sister to his first wife. She was born September 21st, 1845, and died July 13th, 1870. On April 16th, 1871, he was again married to Salome, daughter of Peter and Susannah (Bear) Mosser. She was born August 31st, 1847. Mr. Martin had a family of five children, four with his first wife and one with his third wife, viz:

4336 VI MARTIN, MARY ANN, was born February 7th, 1853. She resides in Marion, Kansas, and was married twice, first to Henry E. Wismer, December 31st, 1871, and after his decease to John Schwindemann, April 28th, 1893. With the first husband there were eight children, namely: VII Laura, VII Ella, VII Angeline, VII Amsey, VII Noah, VII Ervine, VII Clarence, and VII John Henry.

4337 VI MARTIN, ANGELINE, was born February 5th, 1855, and died at Bloomingdale, Ontario, March 28th, 1873. On November 24th, 1872, she was married to Josiah Snyder.

4338 VI MARTIN, ISAIAH, was born January 16th, 1858. On September 19th, 1882, he was married to

Sophia Bennett. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in carpentering.

4339 VI MARTIN, ALEXANDER, was born September 19th, 1861. On May 20th, 1885, he was married to Catharine O'Connor. They reside on Weber Street, Berlin. He is a contractor and builder.

4340 VI MARTIN, HILKIAH, the only child of third wife, was born May 16th, 1874. He is home with his parents and is engaged in one of the factories.

4341 V MARTIN, ESTHER, was born May 29th, 1831. On May 15th, 1855, she was married to Abram R. Strohm. See Abram R. Strohm's family.

4342 V MARTIN, NANCY,* was born March 8th, 1833, and died June 8th, 1833.

4343 V MARTIN, JUDITH,* was born March 8th, 1833, and died June 9th, 1833.

4344 V MARTIN, SUSANNAH,* was born March 8th, 1833, and died March 9th, 1833.

4345 V MARTIN, ELIZABETH, was born August 2nd, 1834. On August 22nd, 1852, she was married to Henry Strohm. See Henry Strohm's family.

4346 V MARTIN, MENNO, was born November 7th, 1836. He is a contractor and builder and resides in the city of Chicago, Illinois, and is married to Annie Green. Their family consists of two children, namely: VI Nelson and VI Eda.

4347 V MARTIN, LEAH, the youngest in the family, was born January 30th, 1840. She is married to John Histand. See Nos. 3748 to 3751.

* Triplets.

4348 IV MARTIN, PETER, the third son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born January 21st, 1799, and died November 7th, 1834. He was married to Elizabeth Weber. They resided in Woolwich Township, a few miles north of Waterloo where he was engaged in farming. They had one child, a son named V Michael. Some time after Mr. Martin's decease the widow was again married to Joseph Fretz from the Twenty, Lincoln County, where she afterwards resided.

4349 V MARTIN, MICHAEL, the only son of Peter and Elizabeth (Weber) Martin, was born in Waterloo County about the year 1821, and was raised at the Twenty where he died in February, 1888. He was married to Anna Moyer and had a family of eight children, namely: VI Jacob, VI Elizabeth, VI Catharine, VI Isaac (dead), VI Annie (dead), VI Barbara, VI Michael, and VI Mary. These children were all born in Lincoln County. No information received of any of their descendants save of VI Isaac, the fourth member of the family, who came and settled in Waterloo County.

4350 VI MARTIN, ISAAC, the fourth child of Michael and Anna (Moyer) Martin, was born May 11th, 1848. He was married, October 21st, 1884, to Nancy, daughter of Isaac H. and Esther S. (Weber) Moyer. She was born June 7th, 1863. They resided at John B. Martin's, a little south of Conestogo where he died March 22nd, 1894. Their family consisted of four children, namely: VII Sylvester, VII Anna, VII Emmerson, and VII Mary Ann (dead).

4351 IV MARTIN, DANIEL, the fourth son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 5th, 1800, and came to Canada in 1819. On April 8th, 1823, he was married to Veronica, daughter of Joseph and Barbara (Eby) Schneider. She was born July 25th, 1803. Soon after their marriage they moved on their farm now in possession of their son, Daniel, where they resided until their deaths. He died January 12th,

1856, and she died July 13th, 1872. They had a family of ten children, viz:

4352 V MARTIN, ANNA, the eldest daughter, was born August 2nd, 1824. She was married to Rev. Samuel Weber who died October 13th, 1885. She is still living and has her home with her son on the old farm near Lexington. See Rev. Samuel Weber's family.

4353 V MARTIN, LEVI S., the eldest son, was born June 21st, 1826. On October 15th, 1850, he was married to Maria, daughter of John and Barbara (Hoffman) Lichty. She was born October 7th, 1829. They reside in Woolwich Township, about three miles north of Waterloo where they possess a beautiful farm. They have a family of ten children, viz:

4354 VI MARTIN, VERONICA, was born February 11th, 1852. On February 9th, 1875, she was married to Henry Shantz, a farmer. See Henry Shantz's family.

4355 VI MARTIN, BARBARA, was born February 24th, 1854. On November 17th, 1874, she was married to Henry Horst, a farmer. See Henry Horst's family.

4356 VI MARTIN, MARIA, was born March 15th, 1856. On October 16th, 1877, she was married to Seth Baumann, a farmer. See No. 466.

4357 VI MARTIN, EZRA, was born March 6th, 1858. On June 5th, 1881, he was married to Hannah Baumann. They reside near Heidelberg and have a family of four children, namely: VII Elizabeth, VII Isaac, VII Anna, and VII Silas.

4358 VI MARTIN, JONATHAN, was born August

8th, 1860. On November 12th, 1882, he was married to Emma Rudy. They reside in Woolwich Township, near David Horst's old place, and have a family of seven children, namely: VII Josiah, VII Ephraim, VII Ervine, VII Hannah, VII Isaiah, VII Melinda, and VII Norman.

4359 VI MARTIN, LEVI L., was born May 26th, 1862. On March 23rd, 1884, he was married to Elizabeth Baumann. They reside in Woolwich Township, near Peter Shantz's farm and have a family of four children, namely: VII Elizabeth, VII Jonas, VII Mary, and VII Lucinda.

4360 VI MARTIN, DANIEL L., was born September 2nd, 1864. He was married in April, 1890, to Anna Brubacher and resides on the "Ziegler Farm" near Elmira. They have no family.

4361 VI MARTIN, NOAH L, was born December 27th, 1866. On December 8th, 1891, he was married to Mary Baumann and resides at home with his father. They have no family.

4362 VI MARTIN, ANNA L., was born May 30th, 1869. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

4363 VI MARTIN, ELIZABETH, the youngest child of Levi S. and Maria (Lichty) Martin, was born October 25th, 1871. She is still unmarried and is home with her parents.

4364 V MARTIN, ISAAC, the second son of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born July 27th, 1828, and died May 19th, 1843.

4365 V MARTIN, BARBARA, the second daughter of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born September 26th, 1830. On September 9th, 1851, she

was married to Benjamin L. Eby. She died at St. Jacobs, July 23rd, 1876. See Nos. 2605 to 2617.

4366 V MARTIN, JOSEPH, the third son of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born August 22nd, 1833. On March 11th, 1856, he was married to Susannah, daughter of John and Barbara (Hoffman) Lichty. She was born May 11th, 1832. They reside in Woolwich Township, about a mile southeast of St. Jacobs (on part of lot No. 6, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township) where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

4367 V MARTIN, VERONICA, the third daughter of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born January 1st, 1836. She is unmarried and resides with her brother Daniel.

4368 V MARTIN, DANIEL S., the fourth son of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born May 30th, 1838. He is a farmer and resides on his father's old homestead a little more than a mile south of St. Jacobs. On February 21st, 1860, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Peter and Magdalena (Erb) Eby. She was born August 30th, 1840. Their family consists of nine children, viz:

4369 VI MARTIN, BARBARA E., was born January 26th, 1861. She is married to Moses Martin, a farmer. See Moses Martin's family.

4370 VI MARTIN, MARIA E., was born May 6th, 1862, and died October 22nd, 1881.

4371 VI MARTIN, VERONICA E., was born May 18th, 1863. She is married to Rev. Enoch S. Baumann. See No. 198.

4372 VI MARTIN, ENOCH, was born March 11th, 1865. He is a farmer and resides on southern part of the

old homestead where new buildings have been erected. He is married to Mary Ann Shantz and has a family of one child, a son named VI Cleason.

4373 VI MARTIN, MAGDALENA, was born January 29th, 1867. She is married to Jesse Shantz, a farmer. See Jesse Shantz's family.

4374 VI MARTIN, DANIEL E., born October 23, 1868.

4375 VI MARTIN, LOUISA E., born Sept. 27, 1870.

4376 VI MARTIN, LUCINDA E, born Dec. 13, 1873.

4377 VI MARTIN, LYDIA ANN E., born August 27th, 1883.

The youngest four of the family are all home with their parents and unmarried.

4378 V MARTIN, TILMAN, the fifth son of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born December 20th, 1840. He is a farmer and resides in Woolwich Township, about two miles north of St. Jacobs where he possesses three farms. On March 11th, 1862, he was married to Anna, daughter of Benjamin and Mary (Devitt) Martin. She was born March 21st, 1840. Their family consists of nine children, viz:

4379 VI MARTIN, JUDITH, the eldest, was born January 3rd, 1863. She is married to Samuel Baumann. See No. 542.

4380 VI MARTIN, ISAAC, was born November 25th, 1864, and died December 31st, 1864.

4381 VI MARTIN, EMANUEL, was born May 2nd, 1866. He is married to Lydia Baumann and resides about one mile north of St. Jacobs, where he is

engaged in farming. Their family consists of two children, namely: VII Judith and VII Lovina.

4382 VI MARTIN, TILMAN M., was born September 5th, 1868. He is married to Elizabeth P. Martin and resides near the home of his father where he is engaged in farming. They have one son named VII Simeon.

4383 VI MARTIN, AMOS, born July 18th, 1871.

4384 VI MARTIN, ANGELINE, born March 18th, 1874.

4385 VI MARTIN, BENJAMIN, born August 23, 1876.

4386 VI MARTIN, SUSANNAH, born February 6, 1879.

4387 VI MARTIN, ISAIAH, born July 14th, 1883.

The youngest five of the family are unmarried and all at home assisting their parents on the large farms they possess.

4388 V MARTIN, MARY, the fourth daughter of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born December 10th, 1842. On October 4th, 1864, she was married to David Cressman. See Nos. 2118 to 2122.

4389 V MARTIN, JUDITH, the fifth and youngest daughter of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin, was born January 3rd, 1846. She is married to Menno, son of John and Susannah (Brand) Wideman. See Menno Wideman's family.

4390 IV MARTIN, ANNA, the third daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 26th, 1802. She was married to Daniel Weber who died February 13th, 1864. She died March 13th, 1886. See Daniel Weber's family.

4391 IV MARTIN, ESTHER, the fourth daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 29th, 1803, and came to Canada when sixteen years of age. She was married to David Musselman who died October 25th, 1870. She died July 31st, 1872. See David Musselman's family.

4392 IV MARTIN, SAMUEL, the fifth son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 18th, 1805. In 1819 he came to Canada with his parents. In 1826 he was married to Susannah, daughter of Christian and Hannah (Paul) Shantz. She was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, June 24th, 1807, came to Canada when three years of age, and died May 16th, 1881. They resided on a farm about one mile south-west of St. Jacobs. It is now possessed by their son, Noah. They were blessed with a family of twelve children, viz:

4393 V MARTIN, SOLOMON, the eldest son, was born December 8th, 1828. They reside in Hay Township, Huron County. He is married to Leah, daughter of Isaac and Esther (Bechtel) Shantz. They had a family of eleven children, viz:

4394 VI MARTIN, ISAAC, born September 3rd, 1852.

4395 VI MARTIN, POLLY, born November 28th, 1854.

4396 VI MARTIN, SUSANNAH, born December 25th, 1856, died February 5th, 1857.

4397 VI MARTIN, SAMUEL, born January 22nd, 1858, died April 15th, 1858.

4398 VI MARTIN, LIZZIE, born July 15th, 1859.

4399 VI MARTIN, LEAH, born April 30th, 1862.

4400 VI MARTIN, LOVINA, born May 22nd, 1864.

4401 VI MARTIN, SOLOMON, born August 21st, 1866.

4402 VI MARTIN, SARAH, date of birth not received.

4403 VI MARTIN, LENA, date of birth not received.

4404 VI MARTIN, CYRUS, date of birth not received.

4405 V MARTIN, BENJAMIN S., the second son, was born June 12th, 1830. He was married, January 25th, 1859, to Nancy, daughter of Samuel and Mary (Detweiler) Schneider. She was born June 3rd, 1831. They reside near Roseville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them was born a family of eight children, viz:

4406 VI MARTIN, SAMUEL S., was born May 15th, 1860. He is married to Mary Ann, daughter of Christian and Barbara (Oberer) Loier. She was born October 4th, 1862.

4407 VI MARTIN, ISAIAH S., born June 29th, 1862.

4408 VI MARTIN, JESSE S., twin brother to Isaiah, born June 29th, 1862.

4409 VI MARTIN, AMANDA S., born August 19th, 1864, is married to Elisha Shiedel.

4410 VI MARTIN, OLIVER S., born Sept. 28th, 1866.

4411 VI MARTIN, MALINDA S., born Nov. 4th, 1867.

4412 VI MARTIN, MAGDALENA S., born September 10th, 1869, and died October 19th, 1869.

4413 VI MARTIN, ENOCH S., born October 8th, 1871.

4414 V MARTIN, CHRISTIAN S., the third son, was born October 9th, 1831. He is a harness maker by

trade. At present he resides in Guelph where he is engaged in manufacturing buggy tops. He is married to Nancy, daughter of Richard and Catharine (Shoemaker) Haste. They have a family of six children, namely: VI Albert, VI Nelson, VI Melvina, VI Richard, VI Martha, and VI William.

4415 V MARTIN, ELIZABETH S., the eldest daughter, was born December 2nd, 1832. She was married, March 20th, 1879, to Isaac H. Baumann. They reside about four miles north-west of Waterloo. They have no family. See No. 172.

4416 V MARTIN, PETER S., the fourth son, was born March 6th, 1834. He was married to Susannah, daughter of John and Anna (Burkhard) Gingerich. They resided on his father's farm, near St. Jacobs, where he died October 19th, 1863. They had a family of three children, namely: VI Noah, VI Annie, and VI Jesse who is married to Marietta M. Wahl and resides in Bridgeport. They have a family of one child, a daughter.

4417 V MARTIN, JOEL S., the fifth son, was born March 16th, 1837, and died of consumption at his sister's (Mrs. Isaac H. Baumann) home July 11th, 1881. He was never married.

4418 V MARTIN, DAVID S., the sixth son, was born June 23rd, 1838. He is a carpenter and builder, is unmarried and has his home with his cousin, Manasseh Martin.

4419 V MARTIN, ESTHER S., the second daughter, was born May 3rd, 1840, and died June 5th, 1842.

4420 V MARTIN, NOAH S., the seventh son, was born July 27th, 1841. He is married to Mary Ann, daughter of Charles and Jane Godbold and resides

on his father's old place near St. Jacobs where he is engaged in farming. They have a family of nine children, namely: VI Josephus, VI Lizzie, VI Susannah, VI Edward, VI Matilda, VI Samuel, VI Emanuel, VI Mary Ann, and VI Orillia.

4421 V MARTIN, AARON, the eighth son, was born August 21st, 1846. He resides in Howick Township, Huron County, where he is engaged in farming. He was first married to Judith Snyder, January 30th, 1876. She was the daughter of Absalom and Mary (Bricker) Snyder and was born December 16th, 1846, and died May 14th, 1892. After the decease of his first wife he was married to Barbara, daughter of Aaron and Annie (Rudy) Ziegler. She was born January 21st, 1858. With his first wife he had four children, namely: VI Susannah, VI Ida, VI Absalom, and VI Mary.

4422 V MARTIN, SUSANNAH S., the second daughter, was born April 27th, 1848. She resided with her mother until her death which took place August 3rd, 1870. She was never married.

4423 V MARTIN, HANNAH S., the third and youngest daughter of Samuel and Susannah (Shantz) Martin, was born June 2nd, 1853, and died August 21st, 1853.

4424 IV MARTIN, JOHN, the sixth son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 20th, 1806. In the year 1819 he came to Canada with his parents. On February 16th, 1830, he was married to Anna, daughter of Abraham and Elizabeth (Cressman) Weber. She was born in Berlin, Waterloo County, August 14th, 1811. After their marriage they moved on their farm situated in Woolwich Township, about three miles

north of Waterloo. Here they resided until 1857, then moved on the farm now possessed by their son, Enos. Here he died November 20th, 1879. She is still living and is quite strong and active for a person of such an age. Her home is with her son Enos. Mr. Martin had a family of twelve children, viz:

4425 V MARTIN, ELIZABETH, the eldest in family, was born November 7th, 1830. On October 4th, 1854, she was married to Peter, son of Bishop Henry and Lydia (Martin) Shantz. They reside on a beautiful farm in Woolwich Township, adjoining the northern boundary of Waterloo Township, about four miles north-west of the town of Waterloo. They have no family.

4426 V MARTIN, MOSES, was born August 11th, 1832. On March 13th, 1855, he was married to Mary, daughter of John and Catharine (Sherk) Brubacher. She was born August 29th, 1836, and died March 23rd, 1859. After the decease of his first wife he was married again to Mary Cressman who was born November 1st, 1839. In 1855 Mr. Martin moved to Woolwich Township when it was nearly all wilderness and settled on lot No. 108, German Company's Tract. This he soon cleared and had erected thereon the fine farm buildings now, together with farm, in possession of his youngest son, Moses. Here he died November 26th, 1887. His widow has since married Deacon John Nahrgang of Wilmot Township. His family consisted of three sons, two of whom were born unto his first wife, viz:

4427 VI MARTIN, TILMAN B., was born November 28th, 1855. On March 1st, 1881, he was married to Mary, daughter of Menno S. and Elizabeth (Schneider) Shantz. She was born September 20th, 1859. They reside about two miles north of Waterloo on the west half of the old "Peter Martin Farm." Their family consists of eight children, viz:

4428 VII MARTIN, LOVINA, born December 31, 1881.

4429 VII MARTIN, JOSIAH, born January 1st, 1884.

4430 VII MARTIN, EDWIN, born October 6th, 1885.

4431 VII MARTIN, ALLAN, born May 12th, 1887.

4432 VII MARTIN, LYDIA ANN, born April 17, 1889.

4433 VII MARTIN, ELIZABETH, born Dec. 25, 1890.

4434 VII MARTIN, MARY, born April 6th, 1893.

4435 VII MARTIN, ANNANIAS, born in August, 1894.

4436 VI MARTIN, JOHN B., was born May 23rd, 1858, and died of typhoid fever November 23rd, 1879. He was unmarried.

4437 VI MARTIN, MOSES C., was born August 11th, 1861. On November 7th, 1882, he was married to Barbara, daughter of Levi and Maria (Lichty) Martin. She was born January 26th, 1861. They reside on his father's old homestead about two miles south of Elmira. They have had four children, viz:

4438 VII MARTIN, RECEVEOUS, born Oct. 30, 1883.

4439 VII MARTIN, URIAS, born January 22nd, 1887, died February 25th, 1887.

4440 VII MARTIN, ERVINE, born May 28th, 1888.

4441 VII MARTIN, MOSES, born October 10th, 1890.

4442 V MARTIN, BISHOP ABRAHAM, the second son of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born April 27th, 1834, and was raised on the farm he still possesses. On March 17th, 1857, he was married to Elizabeth, the youngest daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Hoffman) Baumann. She was born in Waterloo Township, March 7th, 1838. Soon after their marriage they took possession of his father's farm where they still reside.

During the year 1860 it was deemed necessary by the church officials of the Mennonite body to have a minister appointed to assist the aged brethren in the ministry. At the conference held the following spring it was decided that a minister should be appointed to give assistance to the brethren at the Martin, Conestogo, West Woolwich, Elmira, and other fields of labor. On September 1st, 1861, Bishop Joseph Hagey had the chosen parties for the ministry assembled at the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. The lot was cast and it fell on Abraham Martin who was then ordained by the worthy Bishop Hagey as a minister of the Mennonite Church. This position he held with honor and credit until September 17th, 1867, when he was ordained bishop at the Christian Eby Meeting House by Bishop Hagey, which position he has held ever since. His preaching is altogether extemporaneous and as a rule has a good effect upon the large audience assembling wheresoever he preaches. He is not a sensational preacher but addresses the judgment of man as well as the feelings, and his sermons abound in arguments and reasonings, listened to with admiration by all who are willing to be spiritually instructed. His personal appearance is in his favor, being of medium height, well proportioned and rather fleshy, a square, even forehead and of a pleasing countenance. His deportment is easy and dignified. Of late he has suffered some from heart disease and rheumatism, so much so that he has been unable to attend to his ministerial duties. Let us all unite in wishing him a speedy recovery and that he may be spared for many years to come to administer to the spiritual wants of his followers. The bishop has a family of ten children, viz:

4443 VI MARTIN, ANNA, the eldest daughter, was born February 27th, 1858. She is married to Noah Bearinger, a machine and implement agent. They reside near Elmira. Their family consists of nine children, namely: VII Alice, VII Elmina, VII Israel, VII Amos, VII David, VII Abraham, VII Noah, VII Jonas, and VII Oziah.

4444 VI MARTIN, ELIZABETH, the second daughter

was born May 19th, 1860. She is married to Aaron Weber, a farmer. They reside in Woolwich Township, near Elmira. Their family consists of six children, namely: VII Menno, VII Hannah, VII Sarah, VII Noah, VII Abraham, and VII Elizabeth (dead).

4445 VI MARTIN, JONAS, the eldest son, was born March 22nd, 1862. He is married to Annie, daughter of Peter and Susannah (Gingerich) Martin. They reside on a farm near Elmira and have a family of one son named VII Wendel.

4446 VI MARTIN, SARAH, the third daughter, was born February 14th, 1865. She died August 31st, 1889, leaving a husband, Noah Martin, and a son named VII Noah.

4447 VI MARTIN, WENDEL, the second son, was born December 26th, 1866. He is at home and unmarried.

4448 VI MARTIN, LEAH, the fourth daughter, was born August 1st, 1868, and died November 14th, 1879.

4449 VI MARTIN, ABRAHAM B., the third son, was born May 8th, 1870. He is unmarried and resides at home with his parents, assisting his father in performing the many duties connected with farm life.

4450 VI MARTIN, SUSANNAH, the fifth daughter, was born August 22nd, 1871. She is unmarried and most of the time at home with her mother.

4451 VI MARTIN, LYDIA, the sixth daughter, was born December 4th, 1874. She is home and unmarried.

4452 VI MARTIN, HANNAH, the seventh and youngest daughter of Bishop Abraham and Elizabeth

(Baumann) Martin, was born May 25th, 1876. She is home and unmarried.

4453 V MARTIN, ANNA, the second daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born March 12th, 1836. On March 25th, 1856, she was married to Bishop Amos, son of Abraham and Mary (Schneider) Cressman. See Nos. 2186 to 2194.

4454 V MARTIN, JUDITH, the third daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born July 16th, 1838. On February 3rd, 1857, she was married to George, son of Joseph and Barbara (Hoffman) Baumann. See Nos. 181 to 194.

4455 V MARTIN, LYDIA, the fourth daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born September 1st, 1840, and died January 2nd, 1876. On November 8th, 1859, she was married to Menno Cressman. See Nos. 2109 to 2113.

4456 V MARTIN, VERONICA, the fifth daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born January 27th, 1843. On October 16th, 1860, she was married to Israel, son of Rev. Elias and Hannah (Bingeman) Snider. She died June 7th, 1878. See Israel Snyder's family.

4457 V MARTIN, MAGDALENA, the sixth daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born March 2nd, 1845. On June 5th, 1866, she was married to Peter, son of Christian and Elizabeth (Hoffman) Shirk. See Peter Shirk's family.

4458 V MARTIN, REBECCA, the seventh daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born February 13th, 1847. On February 12th, 1867, she was married to Menno, son of John and Anna (Burkhard) Gingerich. See Nos. 3189 to 3194.

4459 V MARTIN, MARIA, the eighth daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born March 21st, 1849. On October 20th, 1867, she was married to Enoch, son of David D., and Anna (Musselman) Baumann. She died March 20th, 1870. See No. 473.

4460 V MARTIN, ENOS, the third and youngest son of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born July 16th, 1851. He resides on the farm occupied by his father at the time of his death, adjoining that of his brother, Abraham, several miles north of Waterloo. On February 3rd, 1874, he was married to Anna, daughter of Elias and Susannah (Bricker) Weber. She was born near Conestogo, January 10th, 1855, and died January 2nd, 1880. This union was blessed with a family of three sons, namely: VI Noah (dead), VI John, and VI Josiah (dead). After the decease of his first wife he was again married, September 12th, 1880, to Sarah, daughter of Isaac H. and Magdalena (Schneider) Baumann. She was born September 7th, 1857. With the second wife there are six children, namely: VI Osiah, VI Nancy, VI Enos, VI Jacob, VI Ira, and VI Cyrus.

4461 V MARTIN, SUSANNAH, the ninth and youngest daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin, was born February 20th, 1854. On April 9th, 1872, she was married to Enoch, son of David D. and Anna (Musselman) Baumann. See No. 473.

4462 IV MARTIN, ELIZABETH, the fifth daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 27th, 1808. In 1819 she came to Canada with her parents. On January 7th, 1829, she was married to Daniel Good. See Nos. 3253 to 3269.

4463 IV MARTIN, LYDIA, the sixth daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born August 2nd,

1810, and came to Canada in 1819. On September 23rd, 1828, she was married to Bishop Henry Shantz. He was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, November 3rd, 1804, and died October 4th, 1877. Since the decease of her husband she has her home with her daughter, Rebecca (Mrs. Martin Baumann). She is quite well and seems to enjoy life, but of late, through a mild stroke of paralysis, she lost the use of her lower limbs. See Bishop Henry Shantz's family.

4464 IV MARTIN, JOSEPH, the seventh son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 4th, 1811. When in his eighth year he with his parents and other members of the family moved to Canada and resided in Woolwich Township, a few miles north of Waterloo where he died March 21st, 1856. He was married to Susannah Wenger. After his death she with her family of six children moved to Michigan where she has since died. The children are as follows, viz:

4465 V MARTIN, DANIEL W., was married to a Miss Ruler and resided in Michigan where he died. No information in regard to family.

4466 V MARTIN, MARY W., is married to a Mr. Mosser. She resides in Indiana. No information in regard to family.

4467 V MARTIN, ANNA W., is married to Joseph Detweiler. They reside in Petoskey, Michigan. No information in regard to family.

4468 V MARTIN, SIMON, is married to Elizabeth Sitler. Their home is in Michigan. Did not receive names of children.

4469 V MARTIN, ZIMMERMAN, was married to Sarah Meyer. He died in Michigan. His widow is married to David B. Snyder of Berlin.

4470 V MARTIN, SUSANNAH, is married to Gideon

Scheifley. They reside in Michigan. No information in regard to family.

4471 IV MARTIN, BENJAMIN, twin brother to Joseph and the eighth son of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 4th, 1811. He was in his eighth year when he came to Canada. On October 20th, 1835, he was married to Mary, daughter of Dennis Devitt and sister to the late Barnabas Devitt of Waterloo. She was born August 30th, 1815, and died June 28th, 1848. On March 6th, 1849, he was again married to Mary, daughter of Abraham and Veronica (Shantz) Biehn. She was born September 30th, 1816. Soon after his first marriage he moved on lot No. 20, German Company's Tract, about three miles north-west of Waterloo. Here he has resided ever since. The farm is now owned by his son, Moses. He has had a family of nine children, six with his first wife and three with his second wife. Their names are as follows:

4472 V MARTIN, JOHN D., the eldest son, was born September 19th, 1836, and died in 1886. He was married to Anna Wenger and had a family of three children, namely: VI Josiah, VI Daniel, and VI Enos.

4473 V MARTIN, AMOS D., was born August 4th, 1838. He was married in January, 1861, to Esther, daughter of David and Esther (Martin) Musselman. She was born November 18th, 1842. They resided on a farm near Conestogo where he died November 29th, 1871. They had a family of three children, viz:

4474 VI MARTIN, SIMEON, was born February 9th, 1862. He was first married to Rebecca Baumann and after her decease to Rebecca Snyder. His family consists of four children, namely: VII Lucinda, VII Lovida, VII Alexander, and VII Nelson.

4475 VI MARTIN, LIZZIE, was born November 18th, 1863. On June 5th, 1889, she was married to Dilman B., son of Jacob Y. and Nancy (Brubacher) Shantz. See Dilman B. Shantz's family.

4476 VI MARTIN, LUCINDA, was born December 9th, 1865, and is engaged as assistant book-keeper in the J. Y. Shantz & Co. button works. She is not married.

4477 V MARTIN, ANNA D., was born March 21st, 1840. She is married to Tilman, son of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin. See Tilman Martin's family.

4478 V MARTIN, BARBARA D., was born August 18th, 1841. She was married to the late Solomon Musselman. See Solomon Musselman's family.

4479 V MARTIN, ISAAC D., was born June 10th, 1844. He resides near Elmira. His wife is Esther, daughter of David D. and Anna (Musselman) Baumann. She was born January 12th, 1845. They have a family of eight children, namely: VI Enoch, VI Benjamin, VI Isaac, VI David, VI Solomon, VI Henry, VI Nancy, and VI Mary.

4480 V MARTIN, BENJAMIN D., was born June 28th, 1848, and died September 9th, 1848.

4481 V MARTIN, VERONICA B., the eldest child of Benjamin and Mary (Biehn) Martin, was born December 28th, 1849, and died October 27th, 1851.

4482 V MARTIN, MOSES B., was born on the farm he now possesses, May 13th, 1851. On December 11th, 1874, he was married to Anna, daughter of Rev. Samuel and Anna (Martin) Weber. She was born

near Lexington, August 16th, 1855. They have had a family of eight children, viz:

4483 VI MARTIN, SAMUEL W., was born February 19th, 1877, and died April 15th, 1877.

4484 VI MARTIN, SIMON W., born May 2nd, 1878.

4485 VI MARTIN, MARY W., born March 11th, 1880, and died April 9th, 1894.

4486 VI MARTIN, EPHRAIM W., born March 2, 1882.

4487 VI MARTIN, LEVI W., born August 14th, 1885.

4488 VI MARTIN, ANNA W., born April 11th, 1887.

4489 VI MARTIN, MANASSEH W., born May 21st, 1890, and died June 24th, 1890.

4490 VI MARTIN, LYDIA W., born May 16th, 1892.

4491 V MARTIN, MARY ANN, the youngest child of Benjamin and Mary (Biehn) Martin, was born April 9th, 1853. On March 10th, 1874, she was married to Henry M., son of Rev. Samuel and Anna (Martin) Weber. See Henry M. Weber's family.

4492 IV MARTIN, MAGDALENA, the seventh daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 14th, 1814, and came to Canada in 1819. On December 4th, 1832, she was married to David, son of David and Anna (Weber) Horst. See Nos. 3893 to 3907.

4493 IV MARTIN, DEACON DAVID, the ninth son of old Peter Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 30th, 1815, came to Canada with his parents in 1819 and was raised on the old "Martin Farm" now possessed by Menno

Gingerich. On September 2nd, 1838, he was married to Rebecca, daughter of Christian and Hannah (Paul) Shantz. Some time during October of the same year they moved on their farm, being composed of lot No. 6, Woolwich Township, one-half mile north of the Martin Meeting House. Here he has resided until his death which took place September 23rd, 1894. His first wife was born March 3rd, 1815, and died June 23rd, 1876. After her decease he was again married to Mary Johnson, widow of the late Henry Rittenhouse of South Cayuga, Welland County, Ontario. After Mr. Martin's decease she returned to South Cayuga, Ontario, where she now has her home with her son, Freeman. On June 21st, 1857, he was ordained as deacon of the Mennonite Church which position he held unto his death. His family consisted of nine children, viz:

4494 V MARTIN, RACHEL, the eldest in the family, was born May 7th, 1839. She was married to Eli Martin, March 15th, 1859, and resides in the new brick house at the Martin Meeting House. They have a family of six children, namely: VI Ezra, VI Nathaniel, VI Josiah, VI David (dead), VI Eli, and VI Rebecca. See Eli Martin's family.

4495 V MARTIN, ABSALOM, was born November 1st, 1840, and died September 13th, 1887. On October 21st, 1862, he was married to Leah Musselman. They resided on the old "Jacob Cress Farm," adjoining that of his father's farm on the west. They have had a family of twelve children, namely: VI Urias (dead), VI David, VI Paul, VI Rebecca, VI Hettie (dead), VI Leah (dead), VI Absalom, VI Susannah, VI Phianna, VI Sophia, VI Ananias, and VI Nancy. The mother, since the decease of Mr. Martin, was married to Deacon Menno S. Shantz.

4496 V MARTIN, HENRY, was born September 4th, 1842, and died March 31st, 1845.

4497 V MARTIN, JOSIAH, was born August 13th, 1845. He is married to Sarah Clemmer. They reside at May City, Iowa. He has been ordained

minister of the Gospel by the church of his choice. His family consists of thirteen children, namely: VI Abraham, VI Jeremiah, VI Josiah, VI Elam, VI Lucy (dead), VI Lydia, VI Ephraim (dead), VI Manasseh, VI Rebecca (dead), VI Menno, VI David (dead), VI Sarah, and VI Simeon.

4498 V MARTIN, DAVID, was born April 22nd, 1847, and died March 20th, 1850.

4499 V MARTIN, PAUL, was born February 14th, 1849. On September 24th, 1871, he was married to Susannah Lichty who died June 6th, 1890. On July 10th, 1892, he was again married to Lizzie Baumann, widow of the late Peter Brubacher. She was born August 16th, 1856. On July 14th, 1888, he was ordained minister of the Mennonite Church. So far he has proved the right man in the right place. He is an able speaker and can bring his sermons home to his audience. Many a one has entered the house of worship with a down-cast spirit and the heart filled with sorrow, but after listening to his expounding of scripture and receiving words of cheer and comfort for the soul, has left after divine service with the heart filled with good things and wended his was home rejoicing and praising the Lord for His wonderful spiritual blessings shed abroad. He is an able worker for the Lord's kingdom. He resides on his father's old homestead and has a family of seven children, of whom six were of first wife, namely: VI George, VI Absalom (dead), VI Israel, VI David, VI Sidney, VI Lovina, and VI Manasseh.

4500 V MARTIN, LYDIA, was born May 11th, 1850. On February 13th, 1877, she was married to David Cressman. They reside at the Elmira Meeting House, on the old "Isaac Musselman Farm," and have had a family of four children, namely: VI David, VI Josiah, VI Lydia (dead), and VI Mary.

4501 V MARTIN, REBECCA, was born October 10th, 1856. She is at home with her brother Paul and is unmarried.

4502 V MARTIN, MANASSEH, the youngest son of David Martin, was born September 29th, 1859. In February, 1887, he was married to Magdalena Shantz. They reside on the old "John Sitler Farm" two miles north of Waterloo, and have a family of four children, namely: VI Siranus, VI Menno (dead), VI Rebecca, and VI David.

4503 IV MARTIN, JUDITH, the eighth and youngest daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin, was born in Waterloo County, January 2nd, 1821. On October 23rd, 1838, she was married to Rev. Abraham C. Weber. See Rev. Abraham C. Weber's family.

4504 III MARTIN, DAVID, son of Abraham and Barbara (Oberholtzer) Martin, was born in East Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 16th, 1771. On May 4th, 1794 he was married to Maria, daughter of Christian Guth. She was born in the same township, January 26th, 1775. In 1820 they with their family of twelve children, moved to Canada. On June 6th of the same year they came to Waterloo, and on the 9th of the same month they settled on lot No. 65, German Company's Tract, Waterloo Township. The farm is now in possession of Joseph B. Martin. Many and almost indescribable were the hardships and sufferings of this family in making the journey from Pennsylvania to their new home in this county but no sooner had they fully rested themselves and seemed to enjoy their life in the wilds of Canada, when "King Death" came and claimed the mother of this happy family as his own. After suffering great pain for five days, caused by inflammation of the bowels, she died of mortification, July 5th, 1820. On June 13th, 1824, the father was married again to Catharine, daughter of Samuel Guth* who was a brother to Christian Guth, father to his

* Now spelled Good.

first wife. There was no family with second wife. He died September 6th, 1854. His second wife was born November 11th, 1777, and died November 14th, 1848, after an illness of a little more than two months. Names of children are as follows:

4505 IV MARTIN, ABRAHAM, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 24th, 1795. On March 16th, 1828, he was married to Veronica Boesicker who was born November 24th, 1802, and died February 9th, 1875. They resided on lot No. 64, German Company's Tract, Waterloo Township, where he died May 5th, 1872. Their family consisted of eleven children, viz:

4506 V MARTIN, DAVID B., was born February 13th, 1829, and resides at Wakarusa, Indiana. He was married to Anna Aemann who died several years ago. They had seven children, namely: VI Mary, VI Catharine, VI Aaron, VI Caroline, VI Salome, VI Ellen, and VI Daniel.

4507 V MARTIN, CHRISTIAN B., twin brother to David B., was born February 13th, 1829, and died May 16th, 1845.

4508 V MARTIN, JACOB B., was born December 12th, 1830, and died February 2nd, 1831.

4509 V MARTIN, ELIZABETH B., was born January 29th, 1832, and died October 9th, 1832.

4510 V MARTIN, MARIA B., was born October 19th, 1833. She is unmarried and has her home with her brother, John B.

4511 V MARTIN, JOHN B., was born October 6th, 1835. He was married, June 1st, 1865, to Leah Geiger of Wilmot Centre, who was born November 11th, 1843, and died September 27th, 1888. He resides on part of lot No. 65, German Company's

Tract, Waterloo Township, along the Woolwich line. His family consists of seven children, viz:

4512 VI MARTIN, VERONICA, was born May 30th, 1866. She is home and unmarried.

4513 VI MARTIN, ELIZABETH, was born September 27th, 1867. She is married to Christian P. Martin and resides at Lexington, Ontario. They have one son named Isaiah.

4514 VI MARTIN, CATHARINE, was born January 11th, 1869, and died February 17th, 1869.

4515 VI MARTIN, MARY, born September 21st, 1870.

4516 VI MARTIN, DANIEL, born February 2nd, 1873.

4517 VI MARTIN, ISAAC, born February 7th, 1875.

4518 VI MARTIN, JOHN, born April 3rd, 1877.

4519 V MARTIN, VERONICA, was born August 24th, 1837, and died February 26th, 1843.

4520 V MARTIN, ABRAHAM B., was born February 13th, 1841. He resides in Baden where he is engaged in the woollen mills. On October 4th, 1868, he was married to Susannah Allgier who was born March 6th, 1847, and died May 20th, 1888. After her death he was married, October 18th, 1891, to Susannah, daughter of David and Lydia (Weber) Gingerich and widow of the late John Kraemer. She was born July 6th, 1855. With first wife he had a family of nine children, namely: VI Judith, VI Mary Ann, VI Leah, VI Amos, VI Magdalena, VI Ezra, VI Susannah, VI Abraham, and VI Aaron, and with second there are two children named VI Angeline and VI Israel.

4521 V MARTIN, MAGDALENA, was born August 9th, 1843. She is not married and has her home with her sister Barbara who is married to Levi Baumann.

4522 V MARTIN, ESTHER, was born June 9th, 1846, and died August 15th, 1848.

4523 V MARTIN, BARBARA, the youngest in the family, was born December 3rd, 1848. She is married to Levi Baumann, a farmer. They reside in Woolwich Township, a few miles east of Heidelberg. They have a family of seven children, namely: VI Abraham, VI Martin, VI Daniel, VI Levi, VI Leah (dead), VI Elizabeth, and VI Simeon.

4524 IV MARTIN, BARBARA, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, October 27th, 1796, where she died November 4th, 1796.

4525 IV MARTIN, CHRISTIAN, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 23rd, 1797, and came to Canada with his parents in 1820. On January 5th, 1825, he was married to Anna, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Sprigel) Baumann. She was born October 18th, 1794, and died June 2nd, 1861. They resided on the farm now possessed by the heirs of the late Daniel Weber, situated in the township of Woolwich, about one mile south of Conestogo. Here they had a family of eight children, viz:

4526 V MARTIN, DAVID S., was born January 10th, 1826. Died in infancy.

4527 V MARTIN, SAMUEL S., was born January 24th, 1827. Died in infancy.

4528 V MARTIN, ELIZABETH S., was born July 14th, 1828. She was married to William Hembling, a farmer. They resided in Woolwich Township, north-east of Elmira where she died August 30th, 1880. They had a family of six children, namely:

VI David, VI Christian and VI Jeremiah (dead) (twins), VI Anna, VI Veronica, and VI Rebecca.

4529 V MARTIN, CATHARINE, was born September 19th, 1829. She was married to John Burkhard, a farmer. They resided a few miles north of Floradale where she died December 7th, 1866. They had a family of seven children, all of whom died in infancy save Peter, the youngest. Their names were VI Solomon, VI Anna, VI Menno, VI Susannah, VI Maria, VI Christian, and VI Peter.

4530 V MARTIN, ANNA, was born December 28th, 1830. After the decease of her sister, Catharine, she was married to John Burkhard. They resided on his farm where she died August 3rd, 1886, leaving a family of five children, namely: VI Leah (dead), VI Isaac, VI Eli, VI Daniel, and VI Elizabeth.

4531 V MARTIN, MARIA, was born May 2nd, 1832, and died in infancy.

4532 V MARTIN, CHRISTIAN B., was born January 8th, 1834. On November 8th, 1859, he was married to Maria, daughter of Joseph D. and Elizabeth (Baumann) Baumann. She was born December 27th, 1839. On November 15th, 1859, he moved on his farm in Woolwich Township, being composed of part of lot No. 21, German Company's Tract. Here they resided ever since and both are quite active and healthy yet after thirty-five years of hard labor. Their family consists of seven children, viz:

4533 VI MARTIN, TOBIAS, was born August 30th, 1860. He is a farmer and resides on part of lot No. 22, German Company's Tract, which adjoins his father's farm, and is married to Amanda, daughter

of William Eby of Conestogo. They have a family of four children, namely: VII Mary Ann, VII Leah, VII Elizabeth, and VII Simeon.

4534 VI MARTIN, ISAIAH, was born March 6th, 1862. He is a farmer and resides on lot No. 50, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township. His wife is Leah, daughter of Michael Brubacher, and their family consists of three children, namely: VII Israel, VII Elias, and VII Simeon.

4535 VI MARTIN, JOSEPH B., was born November 11th, 1863. He is married to Sarah, daughter of Michael Brubacher. They reside on a farm near Heidelberg and have no family.

4536 VI MARTIN, ELIZABETH, was born December 30th, 1865. She is married to Amos, son of Henry Martin. They reside on a farm in Wellesley Township, near Wallenstein. Their family consists of four children, namely: VII Anson, VII Mary, VII Lydia, and VII Magdalena.

4537 VI MARTIN, REUBEN, was born October 25th, 1867. He is married to Barbara, daughter of Rev. Daniel Brubacher, and resides on lot No. 21, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township. His farm adjoins that of his father. Their family consists of one child named VII Rebecca.

4538 VI MARTIN, ELIAS B., was born April 22nd, 1870. He resides on his father's place. His wife is Mary Ann, daughter of Rev. Abraham Brubacher. They have one son named VII Abraham.

4539 VI MARTIN, CHRISTIAN B., the youngest son and child of Christian B. and Maria (Baumann) Martin, was born May 19th, 1874. He is unmarried.

4540 V MARTIN, ELI, the youngest son of Christian and Anna (Baumann) Martin, was born June 7th, 1836. On March 15th, 1859, he was married to Rachel, daughter of David and Rebecca (Shantz) Martin. She was born May 7th, 1839. They reside in Woolwich Township, at the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. They have had a family of seven children, viz:

4541 VI MARTIN, EZRA M., the eldest son, was born December 31st, 1859. He is married to Emeline Kneip and resides on one of John Fry's farms near Bridgeport. They have had a family of eight children, of whom three died in infancy.

4542 VI MARTIN, DANIEL M., the second son, was born December 29th, 1860, and died the same day.

4543 VI MARTIN, NATHANIEL, the third son, was born April 16th, 1862. On March 16th, 1886, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Joseph Eby (No. 2368). They reside on Peter Good's farm about a mile north-east of the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. They have a family of three children, viz:

4544 VII MARTIN, MANASSEH E., born July 8, 1888.

4545 VII MARTIN, ISAIAH E., born January 2, 1890.

4546 VII MARTIN, EZRA E., born December 2, 1891.

4547 VI MARTIN, JOSIAH M., the fourth son, was born July 23rd, 1863. He is married to Magdalena, daughter of Samuel Hoffman. They have no family.

4548 VI MARTIN, DAVID M., the fifth son, was born September 1st, 1864, and died May 26th, 1879.

4549 VI MARTIN, ELI M., the sixth son was born Jan-

uary 3rd, 1870. He is unmarried and has his home with Henry M. Weber of Lexington.

4550 VI MARTIN, REBECCA M., the only daughter of Eli and Rachel (Martin) Martin, was born September 17th, 1877. She is home with her parents.

4551 IV MARTIN JOSEPH G., was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 13th, 1800, and came to Canada in 1820. On May 12th, 1835, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of John and Anna (Hackman) Gingerich. She was born April 7th, 1809, and died July 14th, 1851. She was first married to Joseph Burkhard with whom she had two sons named John and Peter, (See Joseph Burkhard's family) and after his death she was married to Joseph G. Martin. After their marriage they moved on lot No. 2, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township, where they resided until about the year 1848, then they moved on part of lot No. 101, Woolwich Township, about a mile south of Floradale, where she died. After her decease he was married again to Catharine Boehler. No issue of second marriage. He died March 14th, 1868. His family consisted of five children, viz:

4552 V MARTIN, ABRAHAM G., was born March 13th, 1836, and died June 29th, 1841.

4553 V MARTIN, JACOB G., was born April 6th, 1838. On February 13th, 1872, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Levi and Magdalena (Burkhard) Baumann. She was born November 17th, 1848. They reside on his father's place near Floradale. Their family consists of eight children, viz:

4554 VI MARTIN, JOSEPH B., born Nov. 28th, 1872.

4555 VI MARTIN, SAMUEL B., born October 3rd, 1874, and died September 20th, 1875.

4556 VI MARTIN, SOLOMON B., born Jan. 12th, 1876.

4557 VI MARTIN, ELIZABETH B., born Dec. 27, 1877.

4558 VI MARTIN, LEVI B., born March 10th, 1880.

4559 VI MARTIN, CATHARINE B., born Jan. 15, 1882.

4560 VI MARTIN, MAGDALENA B., born August 22nd, 1884.

4561 VI MARTIN, BARBARA B., born April 9th, 1887, died March 29th, 1890.

4562 V MARTIN, DAVID G., was born December 20th, 1842, and died January 5th, 1843.

4563 V MARTIN, ANNIE G., twin sister to David, was born December 20th, 1842. She was married to Henry Brubacher (Yankee Brubacher), nephew to John W. Brubacher, October 29th, 1871. They resided on the old "John Martin Farm" where she died August 10th, 1872, leaving no heirs. He was afterwards married to Nancy, daughter of Henry and Polly (Reist) Mosser. Some years ago he was accidentally drowned in the Elmira mill pond. No issue with second wife.

4564 V MARTIN, PETER G., the youngest child of Joseph and Elizabeth (Gingerich) Martin, was born August 7th, 1845. He is married to Magdalena, daughter of Joseph D. and Elizabeth (Baumann) Baumann, and resides three miles north of Elmira where he was engaged in farming. Their family consists of seven children, namely: VI Daniel, VI Joseph, VI Eliza, VI Anna, VI Seth, VI Aaron, and VI Veronica.

4565 IV MARTIN, DAVID G., son of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, was born in Lancaster County,

Pennsylvania, March 13th, 1802, and died June 30th, 1831. He was married in 1826 to Maria, daughter of David Martin who was a second-cousin to David G. Martin's father. She was born April 3rd, 1802, and died June 5th, 1834. They resided on the farm now possessed by Valentine Doerbecker, near St. Jacobs, where they died. Their family consisted of three children, viz:

4566 V MARTIN, JOHN M., was born March 12th, 1827. He is married to Rachel, daughter of Peter Bricker. After his marriage he first resided on his father's farm near St. Jacobs, but since he has moved to Peel Township, near Yatton P. O. where he owns a beautiful farm. They have a family of five children, viz:

4567 VI MARTIN, ELIZABETH, is married to Solomon Snyder. See Solomon Snyder's family.

4568 VI MARTIN, NOAH B., is married to Catharine Martin.

4569 VI MARTIN, CATHARINE, is married to Menno Lichty. See Menno Lichty's family.

4570 VI MARTIN, NANCY, is married to Elias Gingerich. They reside in May City, Iowa. See Elias Gingerich's family.

4571 VI MARTIN, MENNO, is married to Elizabeth Koenig, and resides in the town of Waterloo where he follows the carpentering trade.

4572 V MARTIN, SUSANNAH, was born October 18th, 1828, and died June 9th, 1863. She was married to Moses Gingerich. See Moses Gingerich's family.

4573 V MARTIN, CATHARINE, was born December 24th, 1830. She is still living and resides in Elmira. She was first married to Moses Musselman with whom she had a family of fifteen children. After her first husband's decease she was married to the late Peter Winger of Elmira. See Moses Musselman's family.

4574 IV MARTIN, ESTHER, daughter of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 20th, 1804. She came to Canada with her parents in 1820, and died at Abraham Brubacher's in Woolwich Township, January 19th, 1869. She was never married.

4575 IV MARTIN, MARIA, was born August 7th, 1806, and died December 22nd, 1858. She was helpless and void of reason all her life time.

4576 IV MARTIN, CATHARINE, daughter of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, was born November 25th, 1808. On July 24th, 1827, she was married to John W., son of John and Eva (Weber) Brubacher. They resided on a farm about three miles west of St. Jacobs where he died March 12th, 1886. She resided on the farm where she raised a family of ten children, until her death which took place in January, 1895. See John W. Brubacher's family.

4577 IV MARTIN, JACOB, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 22nd, 1811, and came to Canada with his parents when nine years of age. On April 14th, 1835, he was married to Esther, daughter of Henry and Maria (Mosser) Baumann. She was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 17th, 1817, and came to Canada with her parents in 1825. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm on which his father had settled in June, 1820. Here they resided until his

death which took place April 10th, 1889. The farm is now in possession of his son, Joseph B. The family consisted of thirteen children, viz:

4578 V MARTIN, BENJAMIN B., the eldest son of Jacob Martin, was born near Lexington, February 11th, 1836. He is married to Elizabeth Weber and resides in Peel Township, Wellington County, where he is engaged in farming. He has had a family of three children, namely: VI Jacob (dead), VI Moses (dead), and VI Elias.

4579 V MARTIN, HENRY B., the second son, was born April 24th, 1837. He was married to Christiana Fry. They reside in Wellesley Township, near Wallenstein P. O., where he follows farming. Their family consists of eight children, namely: VI Amos, VI John, VI Daniel, VI Veronica, VI Henry, VI Ezra, VI Jacob (dead), and VI Noah.

4580 V MARTIN, DAVID B., the third son, was born September 2nd, 1838. He is married to Catharine Weber and resides in Wellesley Township, near Wallenstein P. O. where he owns a beautiful farm. Their family consisted of fourteen children, namely: VI Leah, VI Solomon, VI Aaron, VI Mary, VI Esther, VI David, VI Catharine, VI John, VI Lovina, VI Eli (dead), VI Josiah, VI Jacob, VI Enoch (dead), and VI Elizabeth.

4581 V MARTIN, JACOB B., the fourth son, was born August 29th, 1840. He is married to Mary Fry. They reside in Peel Township, near Yatton P. O., where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of nine children, namely: VI Menno, VI Christian, VI Anna, VI Jacob, VI Norman, VI Benjamin, VI Isaiah, VI Mary, and VI Enoch.

4582 V MARTIN, MARY, the eldest daughter of Jacob

Martin, was born September 5th, 1842, and died November 20th, 1881. She was married to Martin E. Eby, a farmer. See Nos. 2644 to 2659.

4583 V MARTIN, VERONICA, the second daughter of Jacob Martin, was born December 11th, 1844. She is married to Michael Brubacher. They reside near St. Jacobs where he possesses his father's farm. See No. 1486.

4584 V MARTIN, JOSEPH B., the fifth son of Jacob Martin, was born March 22nd, 1847. He is married to Veronica Fry and occupies the old homestead of his grandfather, David Martin, near Lexington. They have a family of three sons, namely: VI Jacob, VI John, and VI David.

4585 V MARTIN, ESTHER B., the third daughter of Jacob Martin, was born February 28th, 1849. She is married to Jacob Fry. They reside on a farm three miles north of Elmira. Their family consists of eight children, namely: VI Lydia, VI Catharine, VI John, VI Jacob, VI Christina, VI Esther, VI Mary, and VI Anna.

4586 V MARTIN, ANNA B., the fourth daughter of Jacob Martin, was born July 17th, 1851. She is married to Jacob Brubacher and resides at May City, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI Emanuel, VI Jacob, VI John, VI Abraham, VI Veronica, and VI Josiah.

4587 V MARTIN, LYDIA B., the fifth daughter of Jacob Martin, was born November 12th, 1853. She is married to John Fry. They reside on Tilman S. Snyder's farm which is in Waterloo Township. Their family consisted of eight children, namely:

VI Eli (dead), VI Isaac (dead), VI Esther, VI Christina, VI Enoch, VI Lydia, VI Mary, and VI Leah.

4588 V MARTIN, MOSES B., the sixth son of Jacob Martin, was born April 18th, 1856. He is married to Mary Baumann and resides on a farm three miles north of Elmira where he is engaged in farming. Their family consisted of seven children, namely: VI Israel, VI Hannah, VI Lydia (dead), VI Noah, VI Amos, VI Josiah, and VI Mary Ann.

4589 V MARTIN, ELIAS B., the seventh son of Jacob Martin, was born January 26th, 1859. He is married to Leah Reist and resides in Peel Township, not far from Yatton P. O., where he is engaged in farming. They had a family of five children, namely: VI Moses, VI Samuel, VI Magdalena (dead), VI Esther, and VI Leah.

4590 V MARTIN, CATHARINE, the sixth and youngest daughter of Jacob Martin, was born March 6th, 1864, and died June 26th, 1867.

4591 IV MARTIN, ELIZABETH, the sixth daughter of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, and twin sister to Jacob, was born March 22nd, 1811. She came to Canada in 1820 and had her home with her parents where she died December 17th, 1834. She was unmarried.

4592 IV MARTIN, MAGDALENA, the seventh daughter of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 5th, 1813, and died September 26th, 1871. She was married to Abraham Brubacher. See No. 1490.

4593 IV MARTIN, PETER G., the sixth son of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Penn-

sylvania, January 9th, 1816, and came to Canada with his parents when four years of age. On November 15th, 1842, he was married to Maria, daughter of Henry and Maria (Mosser) Baumann. She was born October 13th, 1822, and died May 25th, 1889. On March 22nd, 1844, they moved on their farm, then all bush, being composed of the north part of lot No. 37, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township, within one-half mile of St. Jacobs. He cleared nearly the whole of it, and now is the possessor of one of the finest farms in Woolwich Township. He has disposed of 13 acres of his farm to various parties, leaving him 134 acres. On this farm he still resides and enjoys good health, and has an excellent memory for a man of his age. They had a family of eleven children, viz:

4594 V MARTIN, LEVI P., the eldest son, was born February 22nd, 1844. He was first married, January 23nd, 1869, to Elizabeth Shaefer and after her death to Barbara Gingerich, in May, 1871, and resides at home on his father's place. With his first wife there was one child, a daughter named VI Elizabeth, married to Tilman M. Martin. With the second wife there are six children, namely: VI Nancy, VI Henry, VI Maria, VI Leah, VI Isaac, and VI Lydia.

4595 V MARTIN, CATHARINE P., the eldest daughter, was born September 4th, 1845. On March 8th, 1870, she was married to Christian Wideman, a farmer. They reside in Peel Township, on the Woolwich boundary line, a few miles west of Elmira. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Susannah, VI Levi (dead), VI Mary Ann and VI Rebecca (twins) (both dead), VI Henry and VI Elizabeth (twins), VI Enoch, VI Noah, and VI Menno.

4596 V MARTIN, GIDEON P., the second son of Peter Martin, was born December 25th, 1847. On February 6th, 1870, he was married to Nancy Weber.

They reside in Lexington where he is engaged with the carpenters and also in gardening. Their family consisted of five children, namely: VI Susannah, VI Michael, VI Maria (dead), VI Elizabeth, and VI Judith.

4597 V MARTIN, DAVID P., the third son of Peter G. Martin, was born March 15th, 1850. He was married, March 28th, 1875, to Rebecca Gingerich and resides on a farm near St. Jacobs. They have a family of five children, namely: VI Beneval, VI William, VI Mary Ann, VI Peter, and VI David.

4598 V MARTIN, HENRY P., the fourth son of Peter G. Martin, was born August 13th, 1852. On January 30th, 1875, he was married to Leah Rudy. He is a farmer and resides on a farm in north-east Woolwich, along the Pilkington line. They have had eleven children, namely: VI Lydia, VI Menno, VI Josiah (dead), VI Jeremiah (dead), VI Christian, VI Amos (dead), VI Veronica (dead), VI Jonathan, VI Susannah, VI Mary Ann, and VI Nancy.

4599 V MARTIN, MARY P., the second daughter of Peter G. Martin, was born April 25th, 1855. On October 5th, 1875, she was married to Menno Reist who died December 10th, 1880. They resided on the farm now possessed by Isaac Hilborn about one mile east of Elmira. She is now home with her father and has one child named VI Nancy, born July 5th, 1878.

4600 V MARTIN, ELIZABETH P., the third daughter of Peter G. Martin, was born June 25th, 1857. On April 9th, 1879, she was married to Jacob B. Brubacher. They reside on a farm in north-east Woolwich, near her brother, Henry P. Martin. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI

Peter, VI Catharine, VI Henry, VI Maria, VI Amos, and VI Christian.

4601 V MARTIN, PETER P., the fifth son of Peter G. Martin, was born December 12th, 1859. On February 6th, 1885, he was married to Susannah Reist. They reside on a farm in Woolwich Township, several miles north-east of Elmira. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Amanda, VI Jeremiah, and VI Levi.

4602 V MARTIN, CHRISTIAN P., the sixth son of Peter G. Martin, was born May 20th, 1862. In February, 1889, he was married to Elizabeth Martin. They reside in Lexington where he is engaged in raising fruit and vegetables for the market. Their family consists of two children, namely: VI Isaiah and VI Veronica.

4603 V MARTIN, NANCY P., the fourth daughter of Peter G. Martin, was born October 23rd, 1864. On January 21st, 1890, she was married to Peter Burkhard. They reside on his father's place near the upper end of Woolwich Township where he is engaged in farming. They have a family of two children, namely: VI Simon and VI Menno.

4604 V MARTIN, JONATHAN P., the seventh and youngest son of Peter G. Martin, was born January 10th, 1869. He is unmarried and has his home with Peter Burkhard for whom he works as hired man.

4605 IV MARTIN, JOHN G., the seventh and youngest son of David and Maria (Guth) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 28th, 1819. When a year old his parents moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near Lexington, where he died in November, 1834.

4606 IV MARTIN, ABRAM B., son of III Abraham Martin and first cousin to III Peter Martin who settled a few miles north of Waterloo in 1819, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, near a place called Blue Ball, July 30th, 1788. In spring of 1824 he moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near Conestogo, on the farm now owned by David Musselman. From here he moved to Doon where he was engaged in running the saw mills for old John Biehn. While here he purchased a farm next to Joseph Reist's near Kossuth, on which he moved after leaving Doon. Here he resided until his death which took place March 10th, 1834. He was married to Barbara, daughter of Samuel Weaver of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and sister to old Moses Weaver who used to keep hotel in Dundas. They had a family of eight children, viz:

4607 V MARTIN, MARY W., the eldest in the family, was married to Moses Meyers. They resided in Ohio where she died. Mr. Meyers is again married and resides in Iowa. There were nine children of first wife, namely: VI Henry, VI John, VI Abram, VI Moses, VI Samuel, VI Joseph, VI Amos, VI Sallie, and VI Mary. They are all living yet and reside in Illinois and Iowa.

4608 V MARTIN, ISAAC W., the eldest son in the family, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and died in the town of Galt, Ontario. He was married to Magdalena High who died some years ago. They had a family of eight children. The name of one son has been received, viz:

4609 VI MARTIN, ISAAC H., is married and resides in the town of Galt.

4610 V MARTIN, HENRY W., the second son, resides with Mr. George D. Ellis, at Thedford, Lambton County, Ontario. He is unmarried.

4611 V MARTIN, SAMUEL W., the third son of Abram B. and Barbara (Weaver) Martin, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 9th, 1820. He followed farming for some time and was inspector of hotels for the South Riding of the county of Waterloo for a number of years. At present he lives retired, and owns a beautiful residence near Dr. Lundy's, Preston, where he now resides. On March 22nd, 1845, he was married to Mary, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Moyer) Lutz. She was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 27th, 1825. They have had a family of twelve children, viz:

4612 VI MARTIN, BARBARA L., was born July 14th, 1846, and died July 28th, 1846.

4613 VI MARTIN, ABRAM L., was born December 30th, 1847. He is married to Nettie Hudson and resides at Newton, Kansas, where he is engaged in farming.

4614 VI MARTIN, JANE L., was born November 12th, 1849. She is married to Franklin Jacobs. They reside in Newton, Kansas, where he is engaged in the lumber and shingle business.

4615 VI MARTIN, WILLIAM L., was born September 20th, 1851, and died February 8th, 1853.

4616 VI MARTIN, CHARLES L., was born December 20th, 1853, and died May 8th, 1854.

4617 VI MARTIN, KEZIAH L., was born June 15th, 1855. She is married to Edward Sauder, an architect, and resides in West Saginaw, Michigan.

4618 VI MARTIN, MARY L., was born June 17th, 1857. She is married to Melvin L. Robinson and resides in Kalamazoo, Michigan. They used to follow farm-

ing but lately they left the farm and moved to the city.

4619 VI MARTIN, SAMUEL L., was born February 21st, 1859. After attaining the age of eighteen years he passed the teachers' examination and followed teaching with marked success until a short time before his death. He was married to Emeline Bechtel and resided in Preston where he died January 29th, 1892, leaving no issue.

4620 VI MARTIN, GEORGE L., was born November 22nd, 1860. He is married to Emiline Henderson. They reside near Blair, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

4621 VI MARTIN, MINERVA L., was born November 20th, 1862, and died September 28th, 1875.

4622 VI MARTIN, MARTHA L., was born July 8th, 1866, and died July 10th, 1866.

4623 VI MARTIN, LILLI ANN ELSIE L., was born June 30th, 1873, and died September 12th, 1873.

4624 V MARTIN, ABRAM W., the fourth son of Abram B. and Barbara (Weaver) Martin, was married to Catharine Kratz. They resided on a farm near Jordan, Lincoln County, Ontario, where he died December 6th, 1893. Their family consisted of four children, namely: VI Franklin, VI Judson (dead), VI Ellen, married to Courtland High, and VI Mary, married to Aaron Weaver.

4625 V MARTIN, JOHN W., the fifth son of Abram B. and Barbara (Weaver) Martin, is married to Sarah Clemens. They reside on Henry Wanner's old place near the Wanner Mennonite Meeting House,

about a mile west of Hespeler. Their family consists of four children, viz:

4626 VI MARTIN, MARY ANN, is married to George D. Ellis, a farmer. This reside at Thedford, Lambton County, Ontario.

4627 VI MARTIN, EMELINE, is married to George Copeland, an insurance agent. They reside in Hamilton, Ontario.

4628 VI MARTIN, SAMUEL C., proprietor of the Speedsville woollen mills, is married to Naomi Schleuter. He resides at Speedsville, near Preston, Ontario.

4629 VI MARTIN, CARRIE, youngest in the family, is married to V. R. Conway, druggist. They reside at Sault St. Marie, Michigan.

4630 V MARTIN, DANIEL, the sixth son of Abram B. and Barbara (Weaver) Martin, died aged about 4 years.

4631 V MARTIN, BARBARA W., the youngest child of Abram B. and Barbara (Weaver) Martin, died aged 17 days.

MASTER.

(The old spelling was Meschter.)

4632 I MESCHTER, GREGORIUS, the progenitor of this numerous family, was a native of the Palatinate, Germany, where he was born about the year 1696. He was a man of great piety, of indomitable courage and energy of character, and was in possession of considerable means. The principal cause of his emigrating to America was a desire to dwell among his co-religionists, the "Schwenkfelders," who had formed several settlements in Montgomery and other counties in Pennsylvania at a very early date. In 1734, he and his wife, Maria Krauss, emigrated to America and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where they resided until their deaths. He died December 16th, 1775, and she died November 10th, 1756. To them was born a family of seven children, the eldest of whom was born on the Atlantic Ocean while coming to America. The rest were all born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. The names are as follows:

4633 II MASTER, CHRISTOPHER, was born on the Atlantic Ocean, in June, 1734. He was married to Christina, daughter of Jeremiah and —— (Wolf) Yeakel, May 7th, 1766. She was born in 1748. They resided in Chester County, Pennsylvania, opposite Pottstown, Montgomery County. To them were born ten children, viz:

4634 III MASTER, SUSANNAH, was born February 20th, 1767, and died May 2nd, 1767.

4635 III MASTER, MARIA, was born March 10th, 1768, and died October 18th, 1769.

4636 III MASTER, DAVID, was born September 13th, 1769, and died December 20th, 1774.

4637 III MASTER, CHRISTINA, was born December 24th, 1771, and died December 2nd, 1775.

4638 III MASTER, GEORGE, was born in 1774, and died January 2nd, 1775.

4639 III MASTER, REGINA, was born September 26th, 1776, and died in February, 1800. She was married, in 1798, to Daniel Yocom.

4640 III MASTER, CHRISTOPHER, was born March 13th, 1778.

4641 III MASTER, MAGDALENA, was born June 17th, 1780, and died July 26th, 1856. She was married to Daniel Yocom, husband of her deceased sister, Regina.

4642 III MASTER, JOHN, was born June 22nd, 1783.

4643 III MASTER, ISAAC, was born January 23rd, 1787, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, June 21st, 1853. On May 11th, 1809, he was married to Mary, daughter of Abraham Clemens. She died May 26th, 1870. Mr. Master was the only member of the family who settled in Canada. He with his wife and family of four children moved to this country in 1819 and settled, September 19th, on lot No. 1, 1st Concession, lower block, Waterloo Township, about halfway between Preston and Galt. Here they raised a large family, viz:

4644 IV MASTER, JOHN, the eldest son of Isaac and Mary (Clemens) Master, was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, March 7th, 1810. He came to Canada with his parents when nine years of age. On October 30th, 1830, he was married to Nancy Stauffer who was born August 4th, 1811, and died May 13th, 1843. After her decease he was married to Catharine Reichert, April 30th, 1844. She was born in this county, May 15th, 1811. After his marriage he resided on a farm near that of his father's where he remained several years. Being persuaded by some parties to quit the life of an husbandman and begin that of an inn-keeper, he left the farm now in

possession of James Cowan and moved to Dundas where he took possession of the old hotel known as "Peter Bomberger's," a great resort for travellers from all parts of the northern and western counties. But being brought up to the business of agriculture he soon became so disgusted with the life of "inn-keeping" that after the short stay of six months he disposed of his business in Dundas and returned to Waterloo, the county of his adoption. After his return he settled in Wilmot Township, several miles west of New Dundee, on the farm now in possession of John Master, his grandson. From here he moved to Plattsville, Oxford County, where he resided until 1891, thence to Berlin where he and his aged partner are spending the evening of their lives with their son Isaac, ex-M. P. P. Here they have a pleasant home and the loving care of all. To him and his first wife was born a family of six children, viz:

4645 V MASTER, SALLIE ANN, the eldest, was born February 6th, 1833. On February 7th, 1849, she was married to Jacob, son of old Jacob Shupe. They reside in the town of Galt where he is engaged as a pattern maker. Their family consisted of two children, namely: John, born November 18th, 1849, died some years ago, and Wellington, born February 20th, 1854. He is a merchant and resides in the town of Galt.

4646 V MASTER, ISAAC, the eldest son, was born March 19th, 1835. His boyhood days were spent on his father's farm. His early opportunity for the acquisition of learning being very limited, his attainments in this particular were confined to the common branches of an education taught in our country schools, limited to those months in the winter when the duties on the farm were not so pressing. He, however, acquired the habit of improving every leisure moment during the more busy season of the year, and though the duties of farm life kept him from school, it did not keep him from his books. After arriving at the age of maturity he chose farming as the calling of his life

and settled several miles west of New Dundee on the farm now in possession of his son. Here he resided until October, 1891, when he moved to Berlin. Mr. Master having his mind well schooled and disciplined in the knowledge of all our political institutions in the varied systems which prevail under the constitutions and legislation of the different provinces of our dominion, early identified himself with the Liberal or Reform party and has up to the present remained faithful to the noble principles advocated by the Liberal Government. At the general convention held at Doon some time in February, 1877, for the purpose of selecting a candidate to represent the S. R. of the county of Waterloo in the provincial government, Mr. Master was unanimously chosen as the standard bearer of the Reform party and on March 5th, 1877, he was elected member of the Provincial Parliament by a handsome majority. He was the representative in the Local House for the S. R. of this county until October, 1891, when he was appointed registrar for the county of Waterloo. He is married to Lydia Ann, daughter of Samuel and Nancy (Ziegler) Fried. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

4647 VI MASTER, MARIA, was born December 8th, 1858. She is unmarried and resides home with her parents.

4648 VI MASTER, JOHN FRANKLIN, was born October 5th, 1860. He was married twice, first to Lizzie Hallman and after her decease to Maria Histand. They reside in Wilmot Township, about three miles west of New Dundee, where he owns a beautiful farm.

4649 VI MASTER, NANCY, was born March 24th, 1862, and died, August 31st, 1882.

4650 VI MASTER, OLIVER, was born June 17th, 1864, and died July 5th, 1882.

4651 VI MASTER, LEVI, was born March 13th, 1866. He is married to Ida Rudell and resides in Wilmot

Township, south-west of Haysville, where he is engaged in farming.

4652 VI MASTER, IRWIN, was born January 11th, 1868. He is married to Rachel Deeton and resides two miles west of New Dundee where he is engaged in farming.

4653 VI MASTER, ALBERT EDWARD, was born September 17th, 1870. He resides in New Dundee where he and Mr. Wing are in partnership in the mercantile business.

4654 VI MASTER, ELSIE, was born October 17th, 1872. She is unmarried and has her home with her parents.

4655 VI MASTER, MIRANDA, was born January 31st, 1875. She is home.

4656 VI MASTER, WILLIAM AUSTIN, was born March 5th, 1877, and died January 29th, 1892.

4657 V MASTER, MARY, the second daughter of John Master, was born March 12th, 1837. She was married to Samuel Levan. They resided in Saginaw, Michigan, where she died February 1st, 1891. This union was blessed with five children, viz:

VI DANIEL M. was born November 28th, 1856. He resides in Fargo, Michigan.

VI JULIA ANN was born October 25th, 1858. She resides in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

VI LEVI was born April 7th, 1861.

VI AARON was born April 27th, 1864.

VI OLIVER was born December 14th, 1866, and died July 6th, 1867.

4658 V MASTER, HANNAH, was born June 4th, 1839. On September 9th, 1856, she was married to Jacob S. Levan who was born December 31st, 1830, and died in Berlin, May 2nd, 1876. After the decease of Mr. Levan she was married to Edward Roat, April 2nd, 1878. To her and her first husband were born four children, viz:

VI ISAAC M. was born June 30th, 1857, and was married to Emma Sanderson, July 20th, 1887. He is a graduate of the Toronto University and is now engaged by the board of that institute as one of its lecturers. They reside in the city of Toronto. See Isaac M. Levan.

VI WILLIAM E. was born July 7th, 1863, and died September 17th, 1863.

VI ALBERT E. was born September 12th, 1869, and died September 12th, 1872.

VI JAMES S. was born May 23rd, 1874. He is a book-keeper and resides in Berlin.

4659 V MASTER, LEVI, was born in Waterloo County, near New Dundee, Ontario, February 8th, 1841. His days of youth were spent with his father on the farm. When a mere lad he became animated with a thirst for learning. But the schools of his time were of an inferior kind and afforded none of the facilities now attainable in acquiring the rudiments of education. Schools then were kept open only a few months during the winter. Consequently he received at school nothing but the ordinary instruction which farmers' sons of that period usually received. The information thus received laid the foundation of a good education. By the time he attained the age of seventeen or eighteen years he passed his examination as a public school teacher. He followed teaching for a number of years. Later he entered the ministry of the M. E. Church. In 1869 he moved to Michigan where he continued to labor for his Master in the M·

E. Church with great diligence and zeal. At present he is presiding elder of the church of his choice. His home is in Kalamazoo, Michigan. On January 1st, 1861, he was married to Maria Fried who was born January 24th, 1840. To them was born a family of five children, viz:

4660 VI MASTER, WILLIAM, was born December 6th, 1861, and died December 17th, 1861.

4661 VI MASTER, ELIZA ANN, born July 27th, 1863.

4662 VI MASTER, ELSIE JANE, was born November 27th, 1865, and died September 7th, 1866.

4663 VI MASTER, SHERIDAN, born March 7th, 1869.

4664 VI MASTER, FRANCES BARNES, born January 5th, 1876.

4665 V MASTER, HARRIET, the youngest child of John and Nancy (Stauffer) Master, was born March 14th, 1843. She is married to George Biles, a horseshoer, carriage ironer, etc. They reside at Fargo, Michigan. Their family consists of eight children, viz:

VI ALICE, born December 30th, 1864.

VI GEORGE FREDERICK, born Feb. 14, 1866.

VI OSCAR P., born September 23rd, 1867.

VI JOHN MASTER, born October 6th, 1869.

VI WILLIAM J., born June 24th, 1871.

VI HARRIET ELIZA, born April 1st, 1873, died April 26th, 1874.

VI MARY ANN, born January 25th, 1875.

VI FRANCES MAUD, born November 25th, 1877.

4666 IV MASTER, ELIZABETH, daughter of III Isaac

Master, was born March 7th, 1810. She died in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in infancy.

4667 IV MASTER, GEORGE, was born December 23rd, 1813. He was married, December 29th, 1840, to Emeline Adsett who was born January 13th, 1825. They resided in different places in the county, Berlin, Wilmot Centre, etc. His wife died many years ago, leaving a family of four children. After her decease he married again, but name of his second wife was not received. He died in Plattsville, Oxford County, October 1st, 1874. There was no issue of second marriage.

4668 V MASTER, LEWIS E., the eldest son of George Master, was born November 3rd, 1842. He is married but no information received in regard to his place of residence or family.

4669 V MASTER, EDWARD ELLIS, was born November 2nd, 1845. No information received about him, quite likely he is dead.

4670 V MASTER, JARED K., was born February 19th, 1848. He is a cabinet maker by trade and is engaged in The Simpson Company's factory. He is married to Margaret Fellman and resides in the town of Berlin.

4671 V MASTER, MALISSA, was born May 3rd, 1856, and died an infant.

4672 IV MASTER, SARAH ANN, was born January 23rd, 1816. She was married to Benjamin Shupe, deceased. They resided in Indiana, U. S., where she died December 4th, 1881. They had a family of several children but are all dead save one.

4673 IV MASTER, ABRAHAM, was born April 11th, 1818. He resided in Wilmot Township where he died July 7th, 1853. His wife was Lucinda, daugh-

ter of Yankee David Clemens. They had two children, namely: V David and V Mary Ann.

4674 IV MASTER, MARY, was born May 7th, 1820. She was married to Edward Ellis. They resided in North Dumfries where he died. Some time after his decease she moved to Toronto where she still resides. They had no issue.

4675 IV MASTER, ISAAC, was born January 25th, 1822, and died July 30th, 1834.

4676 IV MASTER, HANNAH, was born December 18th, 1824. She was married to Benjamin Erb. They resided in Bosanquet Township where she died. They had a family of several children. See Benjamin Erb's family.

4677 IV MASTER, CATHARINE, was born August 3rd, 1826. She was married to Amos Snyder. They resided near Preston until they moved to Manitoba where she died February 24th, 1886. See Amos Snyder's family.

4678 IV MASTER, SAMUEL, was born June 19th, 1828. He was married to Barbara Hoffman. They resided in Berlin. Later they moved to Plattsville, Ontario, where they both died, leaving a family of several children, two of whom are living yet, namely: V Elizabeth and V Lucinda.

4679 IV MASTER, NANCY, was born March 29th, 1830. On September 14th, 1851, she was married to Jacob Shuh who was born January 28th, 1831, and died March 23rd, 1875. They resided in Berlin where the widow still resides. See Jacob Shuh's family.

4680 IV MASTER, ELIZA, was born July 2nd, 1832. She was married to John Winger. They resided in

Berlin for a number of years but some time ago they moved to Wooster, Ohio, where they still reside. They had a large family but names of only three of the children were received, namely: V Theresa, V Amanda, and V Ella.

4681 IV MASTER, HENRY, was born March 27th, 1834. He is married to Elmina Hammacher. They reside in Middleville, Michigan, and have a family of several children.

4682 IV MASTER, LEWIS, was born January 8th, 1836, and died August 15th, 1836.

4683 IV MASTER, LUCINDA, the youngest child of old Isaac and Mary (Clemens) Master, was born January 29th, 1837, and died aged about twenty years.

4684 II MASTER, MARIA, born December 21st, 1736.

4685 II MASTER, MELCHOIR, born June 28th, 1740.

4686 II MASTER, SUSANNAH, born Sept. 25th, 1742.

4687 II MASTER, BALTZER, born October 1st, 1745, died August 2nd, 1809.

4688 II MASTER, ANNA, born May 29th, 1748.

4689 II MASTER, GEORGE, born April 18th, 1750.

McNALLY.

In 1795 a Mr. McNally with his wife and two sons left their paternal home in Britain and emigrated to America. They landed at Philadelphia and soon wended their way to Lancaster County where they had intended to settle, but immediately after their arrival in their new home the parents died, leaving two sons named II William and II Henry. William was born in 1791 and was married to a Miss Hefflefinger. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was engaged in blacksmithing. To them were born several children who settled in different parts of Pennsylvania. Henry, the younger son, was born April 21st, 1794. In 1821 he was married to Sarah Kinzel who was born August 19th, 1800, and died April 4th, 1885. In spring, 1824, Henry with wife and family bid adieu to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and moved to Canada. They settled at Binkley's,† below Dundas, Ontario, where he was working at his trade, wagon building. Here they resided temporarily until October of the same year, then moved north to Waterloo County, and settled within the vicinity of Preston where he carried on his business for a number of years. When well advanced in years he and his aged partner made their home with their son, Harry, where he died July 11th, 1864, leaving two sons, viz:

4690 III McNALLY, REV. JOHN, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 7th, 1822. When he was two years of age his parents moved near Preston, Ontario, where he was raised. In 1844 he was married to Mary Ann Shoemaker. Soon after their marriage they moved a little north of Preston, on the farm now possessed by Noah Moyer. In spring, 1854, Mr. McNally purchased the old "Wendel Baumann Farm" about one mile south of Blair where he was engaged in farming for many years but now lives retired. When a young man he was converted unto the Lord and soon thereafter joined the New Men-

† Mr. Binkley was uncle to Sarah Kinzel (Mrs. McNally).

nonites (the Hoch party). In October, 1852, he was ordained to the ministry of that body. Mr. McNally has so far faithfully served the church of his choice in the capacity of the ministry for more than forty years and very rarely was he absent (during these years) from the public duties of the Sabbath unless to assist a brother in preaching a funeral sermon or through sickness. His sermons, characterized by ability and well seasoned with the true spirit (love), are always well received and appreciated by his congregation which is strongly attached to him. May he be spared to continue his work for many years in the ingathering of souls for the Lord's kingdom. His family consisted of eleven children, viz:

4691 IV McNALLY, ANGUS, the eldest in family, was born September 11th, 1845. He is married to Mary Ann Cassel. They reside in Blair, Ontario, where he is engaged in manufacturing woollen goods. His family consists of one son named V Ervin.

4692 IV McNALLY, JACOB, was born April 20th, 1847. He is home.

4693 IV McNALLY, GIDEA ANN, was born March 7th, 1851. She was married to Ephraim Erb. They resided at Brown City, Michigan, where she died June 2nd, 1887, leaving a family of three children, namely: V Luanna, V Arnetta, and V Clayton.

4694 IV McNALLY, ISAAC, was born January 13th, 1853. He is married to Elmina Huber and resides on the old "Herner Farm" near Blair. Their family consists of seven children, namely: V Harold, V Alfred, V Walter, V John, V William, V Charles, and V Harry.

4695 IV McNALLY, WILLIAM, was born July 22nd, 1855. He is married to Rebecca Bowman. They reside near Brown City, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born two sons, namely: V Hiram and V Leslie.

4696 IV McNALLY, SARAH ANN, was born January 20th, 1857. She is unmarried and is at home with her parents.

4697 IV McNALLY, ELIZABETH, was born April 19th, 1860. She is married to Hiram Bowman, a farmer. They reside at Bloomingdale and have two children, namely: V Walter and V Harvey.

4698 IV McNALLY, JOHN S., was born October 19th, 1862. He was first married to Emma May Quickfall who died October 6th, 1889, aged 26 years, 4 months, and 23 days, leaving one daughter named V Olive who died December 11th, 1889, aged 4 months and 21 days. In 1895 Mr. McNally was again married to Sarah Rudell. They reside on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming.

4699 IV McNALLY, PRISCILLA, was born November 26th, 1864. She is unmarried and at home with her parents.

4700 IV McNALLY, ELMINA, was born July 11th, 1867, and died September 24th, 1894. She was not married.

4701 IV McNALLY, MINNIE, was born May 21st, 1872. She is married to John Thamer. They reside on the old "Clemens Farm," a mile west of Roseville, where he is engaged in farming.

4702 III McNALLY, HARRY, son of Henry and Sarah (Kinzel) McNally, was born near Dundas, Ontario, June 13th, 1824. He is married to Louisa Roth and resides near Blair on the old "Bricker Place" where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of three children, namely: IV Sarah, IV Solinda, and IV Henry.

MEYER.

4703 I ‡MEYER, CHRISTIAN, a native of Switzerland, came to America in 1724 and settled in †Strasburg Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He was a Mennonite in faith and was married to Elizabeth Kauffman who was born January 15th, 1720. They had a family of eight children, viz:

4704 II MEYER, ELIZABETH, born Sept. 24th, 1743.

4705 II MEYER, MARIA, born July 1st, 1746.

4706 II MEYER, JOHN, born November 25th, 1748.

4707 II MEYER, CHRISTIAN, born April 20th, 1751.

4708 II MEYER, ANDREW, born May 29th, 1753.

4709 II MEYER, MICHAEL, born December 8th, 1755.

4710 II MEYER, HENRY, born April 15th, 1760.

4711 II MEYER, ABRAHAM, born January 17th, 1763.

4712 II MEYER, JOHN, the third member of the family, was born November 25th, 1748. He was married to Barbara Kauffman who was born in Strasburg Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 11th, 1751. They had a family of seven children, viz:

4713 III MEYER, ESTHER, born January 15th, 1772.

4714 III MEYER, MARIA, twin sister to Esther, was born January 15th, 1772.

‡ Old Christian's name was "Myers" and not "Meyer." All old records, papers signed by him, and tombstones have "Myers."

† Strasburg Township was established before or about the time of the forming of the county of Lancaster. As it was established it included the township of Paradise which has since been cut off. The part that still retains the original name was settled chiefly by Swiss Mennonites who emigrated by way of Holland from 1710 to 1725. The descendants of the early settlers are still to be found in the township, such as the Herrs, Groffs, Neffs, Eshlemans, Brenemans, Kendigs, Brechbills, Brubakers, Buchwalters, Lehmans, Millers, Lantzes, Hostetlers, Meyers, Kauffmans, etc.

4715 III MEYER, CHRISTIAN, born August 7th, 1773.

4716 III MEYER, ESTHER,* born April 10th, 1777.

4717 III MEYER, JOHN, born December 4th, 1778.

4718 III MEYER, EVE, born April 27th, 1782.

4719 III MEYER, SUSANNAH, born June 27th, 1785.

4720 III MEYER, JOHN, the fifth member of the last named family, was born December 4th, 1778. He was married to Barbara Negley who was born December 22nd, 1785. They resided on the old Meyer homestead where they had a family of twelve children, viz:

4721 IV MEYER, HANNAH, born December 2nd, 1803.

4722 IV MEYER, ELIZABETH, born March 20th, 1805.

4723 IV MEYER, SARAH, born August 16th, 1806.

4724 IV MEYER, JOHN, born August 21st, 1808.

4725 IV MEYER, JACOB, born April 14th, 1810.

4726 IV MEYER, MICHAEL, born March 12th, 1812.

4727 IV MEYER, MOSES, born January 31st, 1814.

4728 IV MEYER, SAMUEL, born March 6th, 1816.

4729 IV MEYER, SOLOMON, born July 24th, 1818.

4730 IV MEYER, POLLY, born January 12th, 1821.

4731 IV MEYER, AMOS, born May 27th, 1824.

4732 IV MEYER, JOSEPH, born August 21st, 1826.

4733 IV MEYER, JOHN, the fourth member of last named family, was born August 21st, 1808. He came to Canada when a young man and settled in the county of Waterloo. At his arrival here he was engaged by Mr. Jacob S. Shoemaker of Bridgeport where he put in his first work in Canada. He was

* The first Esther died in infancy, long before the second Esther was born.

married to Mary, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth* Wenger. She was born April 28th, 1814, and died March 16th, 1868. They resided in the township of Woolwich, one mile east of Heidelberg where she died. After her death he was again married to a Mrs. Wenger and during the last years of his life he resided in the village of St. Jacobs where he died August 8th, 1883. They had a family of thirteen children, viz:

4734 V MEYER, DIANA, the eldest, was born September 3rd, 1834. She is married to Henry Witmer. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of eight children, namely: VI David, VI Hannah, VI Mary Ann, VI Angeline, VI John, VI Aaron, VI Minerva, and VI Levi.

4735 V MEYER, LOUISANA, was born February 21st, 1836. She was first married to Henry Rudy with whom she had three children, namely: VI Joseph, VI Elizabeth, and VI Emily. After her first husband's decease she was married to Henry Stutz with whom she had three children, namely: VI Hannah, VI William Henry, and VI Moses, and after Mr. Stutz's decease she was married to her third husband, Hiram Stauffer, and now resides at Alma, Michigan. With him she has two children, namely: VI Albert Meyer and VI Ada Blanche.

4736 V MEYER, ELIAB, was born June 7th, 1837. He resides in Harlan, Shelby County, Iowa, and is married to Sarah Daws. His family consists of six children, namely: VI Orilla, VI John, VI Archibald, and three others whose names were not received.

4737 V MEYER, SOLOMON, was born August 20th, 1838. He was a farmer and resided near Heidel-

* Maiden name Zimmerman.

berg, Waterloo County, where he died September 9th, 1877. He was married to Caroline Crowder and had a family of seven children, namely: VI Josiah, VI Mary Ann, VI Isaac, VI Angeline, VI Orilla, VI Nisley, and VI Solomon.

4738 V *MYERS, ISAAC W., was born November 20th, 1839. He is a farmer and resides at Hampton, Iowa, where he is also proprietor of the Hampton, Geneva and Latimer creameries. He is married to Alice Francisco, and has a family of seven children, namely: VI Inez A., VI Orson Francisco, VI John Percival, VI Irving Aaron, VI Helen M., VI Garfield, died aged 1 year, and VI Ruth M.

4739 V MEYER, MARY ANN, was born July 17th, 1841. She is married to Horace Freeland. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI John, VI Mary Jane, VI Sarah Jane, VI Amos, VI Allan, and VI Homer.

4740 V MEYER, SARAH, was born February 17th, 1843. She was first married to Zimmerman Martin and after his decease to David B. Schneider. They reside in the town of Berlin. No issue of first husband but of second marriage there are two children, namely: VI Albert and VI Joseph M. See David B. Schneider's family.

4741 V MEYER, ELIZABETH, was born May 17th, 1844. She was married to the late Isaac L. Bowman. Her place of residence is on Church Street, Berlin, Ontario. Her family consists of four sons, namely: VI Leander, VI Arthur, VI Franklin, and VI Hervey. See Isaac L. Bowman's family.

* This member of the family has resumed the old spelling of the name "Myers" and not "Meyer" as the family has it. The old progenitor of this family spelled his name "Myers."

4742 V MEYER, HANNAH, was born March 14th, 1846. She was married to Aaron C. Bowman who was instantly killed by a runaway of his horse in Grand Rapids, Michigan, in September, 1885. They resided at Corinth, Michigan, and had a family of two children, twins, named VI Byron and VI Nettie.

4743 V MEYER, ABSALOM, was born July 13th, 1847. He is a farmer and resides at Peabody, Kansas. His wife is Lovina Moyer. Their family consists of nine children, namely: VI Alfred, VI Elmina, VI Martha, VI Lydia, VI Edith, VI Elsie, VI Edna, VI Arthur, and VI Orrel.

4744 V MEYER, BARBARA, was born May 12th, 1849. She was married to the late Benjamin S. Brubacher. They resided near St. Jacobs, Waterloo County, Ontario, where he died. After his decease she was married to Wendel Baumann. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan. She had two sons with her first husband, namely: VI Albert and VI Josephus; with the second husband there are seven children, namely: VI Ada, VI Nellie, VI Elias, VI Benjamin, VI Chester, VI Wendel, and VI Lizzie. See No. 1440 and also No. 276.

4745 V MEYER, JOHN, was born May 10th, 1851. He resides in the town of Listowel, Perth County, Ontario, where he and Abram Moyer of Palmerston are partners and proprietors of the Maitland Valley Roller Mills of Listowel and the Victoria Roller Mills of Palmerston, Wellington County, Ontario. They are both practical millers and are well posted on the milling business of the day. There is a strong demand for their flour in both the home and foreign market. Mr. Meyer is married to Angeline Snyder and has a family of ten children, namely: VI Caleb (dead), VI Emmaline (dead), VI Josephus Snyder, VI Alva Hervey (dead), VI Archie John, VI Benjamin Homer, VI

Angeline Orilla, VI Ida Alberta, VI Arthur Oswald, and VI Lilian Olive.

4746 V MEYER, AARON, was born near Heidelberg, Ontario, June 1st, 1853. After having served his apprenticeship as a miller, he went to the western states where he followed the business until his death which took place at Harlan, Shelby County, Iowa, at the residence of his brother, Eliab, July 5th, 1875. He was unmarried.

MILLER.

Of the early settlers in this county we had four families named Miller, namely: Jacob, Christian, William, and Abraham. We shall first give the descendants of old Jacob, then of Christian and William, and finally of Abraham.

4747 I MILLER, JACOB, a native of Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, was born March 26th, 1777, and was married to Magdalena, youngest daughter of Peter and Mary (Bear) Bricker (No. 1322). She was born May 12th, 1775, and died in Woolwich Township, Waterloo County, Ontario, January 6th, 1853. He died October 26th, 1853. They moved to Canada some seventy years ago and settled a little north of Waterloo, on the farm now possessed by Andrew Groff. To them were born five children, viz:

4748 II MILLER, JOHN B., the eldest, was born in

Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, February 24th, 1802, and was married, in Waterloo County, March 30th, 1827, to Elizabeth, daughter of Isaac and Susannah (Kindig) Latschaw. She was born in Berks County, Pennsylvania, October 13th, 1802. They resided in Woolwich Township, on the farm now possessed by Moses Brubacher. He died September 20th, 1881, and she died in Wallace, Perth County, July 30th, 1885. To them was born a family of nine children, viz:

4749 III MILLER, MARGARETTA, was born July 11th, 1828, and was married to Jonathan Bliehm (No. 1115). They reside in Michigan where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, namely: IV Eliza, IV Hettie (dead), IV Henry, IV Angeline, IV Mary Ann, and IV Dilman.

4750 III MILLER, ISAAC, was born November 30th, 1831, and is married to Elizabeth Bricker (No. 1299). They resided in Wallace Township, Perth County, where he followed farming many years but now resides in Listowel, Ontario. To them was born a family of fifteen children, viz:

4751 IV MILLER, WILLIAM, died, aged 2 years.

4752 IV MILLER, CATHARINE, died, aged 4 years.

4753 IV MILLER, MOSES, died, aged 23 years.

4754 IV MILLER, JOHN, died, aged 19 years.

4755 IV MILLER, ABRAHAM, was born February 24th, 1864, and is married to Catharine Huehn. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in horseshoeing, carriage ironing and general blacksmithing. His family consists of four children, namely: V Matilda, V Sidney (dead), V Harvey (dead), and V Edgar.

4756 IV MILLER, BENJAMIN, was born January 13th, 1867, and is married to Louisa Daub. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in carriage and wagon building. His family consists of three children, namely: V Alberta, V Maletta, and V Oscar (dead).

4757 IV MILLER, ISAAC, twin brother to Benjamin, was born January 13th, 1867, and is married to Lizzie Harttung. They reside in Wallace, Perth County, where he is farming. Their family is as follows, namely: V Ralph, V Agnes, and another daughter whose name was not received.

4758 IV MILLER, CAROLINA, was born in 1869, and is married to John Ballet. They reside in Monkton, Perth County, where he is engaged in blacksmithing. They have three children, but names were not received.

4759 IV MILLER, LOVINA, twin sister to Caroline, was born in 1869. She is married to John Shell, a shoemaker. They reside in Wallace and have one child named V Alminda.

4760 IV MILLER, ALBERT, was born December 9th, 1871. He is a blacksmith and works for his brother, Abraham, in Berlin. He is unmarried.

4761 IV MILLER, ALEXANDER, was born in 1873. He is a barber and has his place of business in Detroit, Michigan.

4762 IV MILLER, ELIZABETH, died, aged 5 years.

4763 IV MILLER, JAMES, died same day he was born.

4764 IV MILLER, LEVI, died same day he was born.

4765 IV MILLER, AMANDA, born in 1877, resides at home with her parents.

4766 III MILLER, JACOB, was born July 1st, 1834, and is married to Magdalena,* daughter of Amos and Mary (Eby) Cressman. She was born August 16th, 1834. They resided on his father's place in Woolwich Township, where she died June 3rd, 1862. After her decease he was again married to Nancy Ernst and at present they reside at Wetzel, Antrim County, Michigan, where he is farming. To him was born a family of fifteen children, namely: IV Moses, IV Amos, IV Susannah, IV Elizabeth, IV John, IV Lucinda, and IV Mary Ann, are of the first wife and are all dead save the younger two; and IV Henry, IV Nancy, IV Lovina, IV Lydia, IV Jacob, IV Aaron, IV Abram, and IV Emanuel of the second wife.

4767 III MILLER, JOHN, was born August 7th, 1836, and died April 24th, 1841.

4768 III MILLER, MAGDALENA, was born May 15th, 1838, and is married to Isaac, son of Amos and Mary (Eby) Cressman. They reside near Lebanon P. O., Maryborough Township, Wellington County, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born the following children, namely: IV Angeline, IV Edward, IV Elizabeth, IV Catharine, IV Sarah, and another daughter and also a son whose names were not received.

4769 III MILLER, MOSES, was born August 2nd, 1840, and died May 1st, 1841.

4770 III MILLER, LEVI, was born February 19th, 1843, and died May 11th, 1843.

4771 III MILLER, ELIZABETH, was born February 19th, 1843 (twin sister to Levi). She was married to

* See Amos Cressman's family.

Abraham Keller. They resided in Kent County, Michigan, where she died June 30th, 1893, leaving the following family, namely: IV John (dead), IV Catharine, IV Levi, IV Lovina, and IV Moses.

4772 III MILLER, CATHARINE, was born December 4th, 1845. On August 25th, 1868, she was married to Ferdinand Karges. They reside near Kurtzville P. O., Wallace Township, Perth County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born the following family, namely: IV Elizabeth, IV Caroline, IV Mary, IV David, and a daughter whose name was not received.

4773 II MILLER, CATHARINE, was born in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, November 4th, 1803. She was married to Henry Martin who was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 16th, 1794, and died in Woolwich Township, about three miles north of Waterloo, June 8th, 1853. She died October 2nd, 1870. To them was born a family of ten children, namely: III Peter, III Magdalena, III Nancy, III Elias, III Susannah, III Catharine, III Lydia, III Leah, III Henry, and III David. See Henry Martin's family.

4774 II MILLER, MARY, was born in Cumberland County, Pennsylvania, June 6th, 1806. She was married to Jacob Heckedon who was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 2nd, 1803, and died near Waterloo, Ontario, May 16th, 1892. She died September 15th, 1867. See Jacob Heckedon's family.

4775 II MILLER, JACOB B., was born March 26th, 1811, and died October 2nd, 1885. He was never married.

4776 II MILLER, MAGDALENA, the youngest in the family, was married to Peter Victore, a builder and contractor. They resided about a mile north of Waterloo for many years, then moved to Hay Township, Huron County, Ontario, where they both died. They had a family of two children, but names were not received.

4777 I MILLER, REBECCA, sister to John Miller and aunt to II Magdalena, II Margaret, II Christian, and II William Miller, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in 1763. She was married to Abraham Clemens who was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, in 1764, and died near Hespeler, in 1819. In 1809 they moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near Hespeler where she died in 1819, being the same year in which her husband died. See Nos. 1619 to 1727.

4778 II *MILLER, MAGDALENA, daughter of John and Hester (Steiner) Miller, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, February 8th, 1786. She was married, in 1807, to Deacon Abraham L. Clemens who was born in the same place, July 3rd, 1781. In 1809 they moved to Canada and settled a little north of Preston where they both died. He died January 26th, 1845, and she died February 1st, 1847. See No. 1830.

4779 II *MILLER, MARGARET, daughter of John and Hester (Steiner) Miller and sister to Magdalena, was born in 1789, and was married, in 1813, to Jessie M. Clemens who was born June 12th, 1791, and died January 6th, 1882. They resided north-east of

* Could not ascertain whether Magdalena and Margaret Miller were any relation to I Jacob Miller.

Preston, on the farm now possessed by Noah Shiry. Here she died October 18th, 1861. See No. 1634.

4780 II MILLER, CHRISTIAN, son of John and Hester (Steiner) Miller, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, February 6th, 1791, and in 1809 he came to Canada and settled a little above Preston. He was married to Hester Wanner who was born June 9th, 1796, and died June 13th, 1864. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

4781 III MILLER, POLLY, the eldest, was born November 20th, 1814, and died September 11th, 1874. She was married to Abraham D. Shoemaker who was born February 16th, 1809, and died January 13th, 1888. They resided a little west of Berlin where both died. See Abraham D. Shoemaker's family.

4782 III MILLER, NANCY, was born March 11th, 1816, and died May 20th, 1846. She was married to Daniel D. Shoemaker. See Daniel D. Shoemaker's family.

4783 III MILLER, HESTER, was born February 20th, 1818, and died many years ago. She was married to Henry Witmer. They resided near Kossuth where both died, leaving no issue.

4784 III MILLER, ELIZABETH, was born January 5th, 1820, and died many years ago. She was married to Elias Witmer. They resided at Hespeler where they both died. See Elias Witmer's family.

4785 III MILLER, SUSANNAH,† was born November 5th, 1822. On April 15th, 1845, she was married to Christian Groh who was born April 25th, 1822, and

† After the decease of Mr. Groh, her first husband, she was married to the late David Bearinger.

died January 10th, 1867. At present she has her home with her son, Aaron. See Christian Groh's family.

4786 III MILLER, MARGARET, was born December 4th, 1826, and was married to Jacob Groh. They resided on the old "Miller Homestead" about a mile north of Preston. See Jacob Groh's family.

4787 III MILLER, SALLIE, was born November 28th, 1828. On April 18th, 1848, she was married to Joseph Bechtel. They reside on lot No. 88, German Company's Tract, a little north of Kossuth. See Joseph Bechtel's family.

4788 III MILLER, HANNAH, was born November 22nd, 1831. She is married to John Schiedel. They reside near Kossuth, Ontario. See John Schiedel's family.

4789 III MILLER, CHRISTIAN,* was born November 22nd, 1831. He is married to Elizabeth Weber. They reside in Hay Township, Huron County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, namely: IV Mary Ann, IV Henry, IV Isaac, IV Elizabeth, and IV Susannah.

4790 III MILLER, MAGDALENA, was born October 13th, 1833. On March 17th, 1857, she was married to Jacob S. Schiedel. They resided near Breslau, thence moved to near Shantz Station where she died April 22nd, 1872, leaving a family of six children, namely: IV Esther, IV Simon, IV Aaron, IV Susannah, IV Jacob, and IV Ephraim. See Jacob S. Schiedel's family.

4791 II MILLER, WILLIAM, half-brother to Christian,

* Is a twin to Hannah.

was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, July 15th, 1798, and died at Jesse Clemens' near Preston, September 28th, 1849. He was married but his wife died in Pennsylvania, leaving a family of four children, two sons and two daughters. After her decease he, with his children, moved to Canada and had his home with his brother, Christian. Nothing known of the children.

4792 I MILLER, ABRAHAM, was born in York County, Pennsylvania, July 13th, 1769, and was married to Barbara Shuh, sister to Rev. Henry Shuh. She was born April 17th, 1788. In spring, 1826, they, with others, moved to Canada and settled several miles west of the town of Waterloo, Ontario, on the farm now possessed by John Kunkle. Here they resided until their deaths. She died April 9th, 1838, and he died August 3rd, 1844. To them was born a family of six children, viz:

4793 II MILLER, PETER, was never married and had his home with Christian Keller, Kent County, Michigan, where he died, aged about 75 years.

4794 II MILLER, JAPHETH, the second son, was married to Catharine Greenfelder. Soon after their marriage they moved on a farm near St. Clements, Ontario, where they resided until about the year 1865, then they sold the farm and moved to Kent County, Michigan, where she died some time ago. He is living yet and has his home with one of his children. His age is past eighty years. To them was born a family of nine children, namely: III Abraham, III Elizabeth, III Esther, III John, III Peter, III Mary, III Catharine, III Barbara, and III Jacob.

4795 II MILLER, ANNIE, was married to Daniel Keller, a farmer. They resided near Strasburg, Ontario, where she died, leaving one daughter named III Catharine.

4796 II MILLER, MARY, was married to William Rein. Soon after their marriage they moved to Indiana, U. S., where they both died, leaving one child named III Eliza.

4797 II MILLER, ESTHER, was married to Benjamin Snyder. They resided near Roseville, Ontario, where they both died, leaving a family of five children. See Benjamin Snyder's family.

4798 II MILLER, CATHARINE, was married to Christian Keller. They resided near Heidelberg, Ontario, on the farm now owned by Mr. Schweitzer. Some twenty-eight or thirty years ago he sold his farm and moved to Kent County, Michigan. Their family is as follows: III John, III Abraham, III Menno, III Benjamin, III Aaron, III Christian, III Barbara, III Annie, III Magdalena, and III Lydia.

MOHR.

4799 I MOHR, CHARLES, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. In 1825 he came to Canada with the Clemenses, Clemmers, Shoemakers, Schiedels, and other families, and settled on the farm now possessed by Abraham S. Clemmer, about a mile north-east of Breslau. Soon after his arrival in this country he was married to Rachel Tohman, a sister to old

Abraham Tohman. Some ten or twelve years after their marriage they sold their farm at Breslau and moved to Blenheim Township, 14th Concession, where they purchased another farm. From here they moved to Wisconsin, U. S., where he died in 1845 or 46. After his decease the family returned to Canada and settled in Waterloo County. The mother died in New Hamburg where she had her home with her daughter, Lydia. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

4800 II MOHR, SARAH, was married to William Patnam, a farmer. They resided in Wisconsin, U. S., where she died.

4801 II MOHR, POLLY, was married to James Trow, ex-M. P. for South Perth. She resides in Stratford, Ontario.

4802 II MOHR, SUSAN, was married to Ransom Watson, a woollen manufacturer. She resides at Doon, Ontario.

4803 II MOHR, LYDIA, is married to Heman Cole, a brick and tile manufacturer. They reside in Doon, Ontario.

4804 II MOHR, RACHEL, is married to David Cole, a lecturer for the Children of Zion. They reside in Doon, Ontario.

4805 II MOHR, ABRAHAM, is a saddler by trade and resides in Markham, York County, Ontario.

4806 II MOHR, JOHN, resides in Michigan where he is engaged in farming. Name of wife not received.

4807 II MOHR, CATHARINE, is married to Abraham Rosenberger. They reside in Michigan where he is engaged in farming.

4808 II MOHR, NANCY, was married to William Putnam, and resided in Wisconsin. Nothing heard of her for quite a time. She may be dead.

MOYER.

The Moyer family of eastern Pennsylvania is so large that it must be traced to numerous ancestors of the same name. We find the name, however, variously written in old manuscripts, as Moyer, Myer, Myers, Meyer, Meier, and Maier, which was originally all the same name. I Christian Moyer, the ancestor of some of the Moyers in Salford and other townships of Montgomery County and also of those of Bucks County, came to Pennsylvania at a very early date† and purchased his farm containing 150 acres in 1718 or 19. This farm was located in Lower Salford. His family consisted of the following children, namely: II Christian, II Jacob, II Samuel, II Elizabeth, II Anna, and II Barbara. The eldest son (II Christian) of named family, was born about the year 1705 and died about the year 1787. His family consisted of nine children, namely: III Christian, III Jacob, III Esther, III Samuel, III Anna, III Maria, III Veronica, III Esther, and III Barbara.

4809 **III MOYER, CHRISTIAN,** the first named of the last family, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in 1728, and was married in 1748 to Susannah Detweiler. He received from his grandfather, I Christian, the old homestead with 100 acres and was the possessor of 232 acres of land at the time of his death which took place in 1783. To him and his wife was born a family of fourteen children, namely: IV Fannie, IV Jacob, IV Mary, IV Christian, IV Magdalena, IV Barbara, IV Sarah, IV Samuel, IV Abraham, IV John, IV Elizabeth, IV Susannah, IV Hannah, and IV Catharine.

4810 **IV MOYER, CHRISTIAN,** the second son of the last named family, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in 1755, and was married to Mary Freed. He inherited the old homestead with buildings and improvements together with 100 acres of land. This he sold after possessing it for five

† Some have it that he came and settled in Montgomery County as early as 1700.

years and moved to Springfield, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, where he died, leaving a family of several children. III Jacob Moyer, brother to III Christian, was born January 28th, 1730, was married and had a family of several children, one of whom was named IV Christian.

4811 V MOYER, HENRY,§ was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in 1778. His father was IV Christian,* but it cannot be definitely stated which of the Christian Moyers he was, namely the son of III Christian or III Jacob. When V Henry was a mere lad his parents moved to Springfield Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, where he was raised. When a young man he was united in matrimony with Susannah,† daughter of Abraham and Catharine (Fried) Souder. She was born April 1st, 1779. Soon after their marriage he purchased a farm of seventy acres, four miles from Doylestown, and paid $2200 cash thereon. Shortly after the purchase of the seventy acres there were other thirty acres, adjoining his, offered for sale, and following the advice of his friends who promised to advance him the money, he also purchased those thirty acres. This together with his former purchase made him the possessor of one hundred acres of land. Soon property depreciated in value and he could not meet his payments, neither would his friends who had made such smooth promises come to his assistance. The result was, he was financially ruined. In 1825 he and his wife and family came to Canada with old Jacob Clemens and family, old Abraham Clemens and family, Jacob Kolb,‖ and Martin Schiedel and wife. Henry Moyer and family settled on a farm‡ two miles south of Breslau where he died March 27th, 1845. After his

§ He had two sisters we know, namely, Anna, married to Abraham Stauffer, and Catharine, married to a Mr. Widemoyer.

* IV Christian Moyer was married to Mary Fried, and Abraham Moyer and William Moyer of Berlin always claimed to be relatives to old Samuel Fried and also the old Detweilers claimed to be second cousin to the descendants of our old Henry Moyer, thus proving to have been descendants of III Christian Moyer who was married to a Detweiler. It is a pity that the direct lineage cannot be proved or fully shown at this date. We have cases here with us where it is impossible to show the lineage of families as no records are left, and yet they are related. In regard to the Moyer lineage it is difficult to give facts as the old family bible in which were kept the records of the old ancestors was destroyed by fire October 15th, 1829.

† She was from Springfield, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, where her parents resided.

‖ Jacob Kolb had moved to Canada in 1819 but returned to Pennsylvania in 1824 to assist in settling his mother-in-law's estate and now with this company returned to Canada.

‡ This farm is now in possession of Daniel Wenger.

death the widow had her home with her son, William, where she died October 18th, 1860. To them were born five children, viz:

4812 VI MOYER, ABRAHAM, the eldest in the family, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, July 14th, 1803. On March 7th, 1825, he, in company with Samuel Fried, left his home and walked to Canada, arriving at Preston, Ontario, March 20th, making the trip in thirteen days. He purchased the farm on which his parents moved a few months later. On November 28th, 1830, he was married to Barbara, daughter of Isaac and Esther (Bechtel) Shantz. She was born May 6th, 1812, and died April 22nd, 1887. They resided on a farm within the corporation of Berlin. Their old homestead is now owned by Joseph Schohn. He died November 20th, 1893. To him and his wife were born thirteen children.

4813 VII MOYER, MARY ANN, the eldest, was born January 9th, 1833, and died* February 1st, 1857. She was unmarried.

4814 VII MOYER, ISAAC, was born March 8th, 1834. On March 20th, 1860, he was married to Barbara Shantz who was born August 25th, 1838. They resided on a farm near Kossuth where she died March 4th, 1885. To them were born seven children, viz:

4815 VIII MOYER, JOSIAH, was born January 28th, 1861. He is one of the travelling agents for the Shantz Button Company of Rochester, New York. He is unmarried.

4816 VIII MOYER, SYLINDA, was born July 12th, 1863. She is married to Jacob Erb. They reside at Brown City, Michigan. To them are born two children, namely: IX Flossie and IX Verne.

* She was instantly killed by an engine striking her while she and her brother, Moses, and her sister, Hettie, were driving across the railroad at the Clemens Crossing a little west of Breslau. Hettie had one of her lower limbs broken and Moses was dangerously wounded having his skull fractured.

4817 VIII MOYER, EPHRAIM, was born April 29th, 1866. He is married to Melissa Snyder and resides at home on his father's farm. To them are born four children, namely: IX Perlus, IX Lloyd, IX Vera, and IX Olive.

4818 VIII MOYER, DILMAN, was born April 12th, 1868, and died July 5th, 1878.

4819 VIII MOYER, SUSANNAH, was born June 18th, 1870, and died July 31st, 1870.

4820 VIII MOYER, LYDIA ANN, was born August 25th, 1871. She is home with her father and is unmarried.

4821 VIII MOYER, OLIVER, born February 7th, 1875.

4822 VII MOYER, NANCY, was born September 2nd, 1835. On March 27th, 1852, she was married to Amos Shantz. They reside in Berlin. See Amos Shantz's family.

4823 VII MOYER, AARON, was born May 8th, 1837. He is married to Veronica Bowman and resides in Mildmay, Ontario, where he is engaged in the mercantile business. To them is born a family of twelve children, namely: VIII Maria, VIII Abram, VIII Sylvia, VIII Adline, VIII Samuel (dead), VIII Alfred (dead), VIII Annie, VIII Laura, VIII Viola, VIII Louisa, VIII Edwin, and VIII Stanley.

4824 VII MOYER, HETTIE, was born November 4th, 1838. In 1864 she was married to Rev. Amos Eby. To them is born a family of six children, namely: VIII Allan (dead), VIII Louisa, VIII Matilda, VIII Norman (dead), VIII Josiah (dead), and VIII Ida. See Rev. Amos Eby's family.

4825 VII MOYER, MAGDALENA, was born October 12th, 1840, and died August 27th, 1841.

4826 VII MOYER, MOSES, was born April 6th, 1842. On August 6th, 1865, he was married to Rachel Bowman. At present they reside in Toronto where he is engaged as a commission merchant. To them are born the following children, namely: VIII Allan B., VIII Addison B., VIII Lanson D., VIII Morrice (dead), and VIII Eddie (dead).

4827 VII MOYER, DAVID, was born November 29th, 1845. On March 1st, 1868, he was married to Sarah Eby who was born April 24th, 1847, and died March 1st, 1880. On September 8th, 1881, he was again married to Fannie Wideman who was born March 10th, 1855. They reside in Markham Township, York County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of eleven children, namely: VIII Lucinda E. (dead), VIII Urias E. (dead), VIII Adline E. (dead), VIII Lizzie E., VIII Phoebe E., VIII Ida E., and VIII Sarah of first wife, and VIII Edna W. (dead), VIII Harvey W., VIII Roy W. and Lloyd W. (twins) of second wife.

4828 VII MOYER, SALLIE, was born January 1st, 1847. On August 20th, 1865, she was married to Abraham H., son of Jacob and Sarah (Heckler) Moyer. He was born near Harleysville, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, September 27th, 1838. They reside in Breslau, Ontario. To them was born a family of eleven children, viz:

4829 VIII MOYER, HARRIET, was born July 23rd, 1866. She is married to Joseph Pugh. They reside near Benjamin P. O., Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and have two children, namely: IX Estella and IX Abraham Wesley.

4830 VIII MOYER, SIMON, was born January 27th, 1868. He is married to Anna Musselman. They

reside in Breslau, Ontario, where he is engaged in the tin and copperware business and in connection has a well paying grocery. His family consists of two children, namely: IX Floyd and IX Darsey.

4831 VIII MOYER, MARY ANN, was born December 15th, 1869, and died February 16th, 1888.

4832 VIII MOYER, NOAH, was born January 16th, 1872. He is married to Annie Smith. They reside at Quakertown, Pennsylvania.

4833 VIII MOYER, LEVI, was born January 18th, 1874. He resides in Allentown, Pennsylvania.

4834 VIII MOYER, BARBARA, born April 25th, 1876.

4835 VIII MOYER, MELISSA, born July 12th, 1878.

4836 VIII MOYER, LAURA, born September 25th, 1880.

4837 VIII MOYER, LINCOLN, born Nov. 28th, 1882.

4838 VIII MOYER, WESLEY, born March 7th, 1885.

4839 VIII MOYER, ADA, born April 1st, 1887.

4840 VII MOYER, SAMUEL S., was born March 1st, 1849. On December 1st, 1872, he was married to Lydia, daughter of Rev. Daniel Wismer. She was born July 14th, 1852. They reside in Berlin, Ontario, where he is engaged as book-keeper with Oberholtzer & Co. To them is born a family of eight children, namely: VIII Elmina (dead), VIII Amasa (dead), VIII Alvin W., VIII Daniel W., VIII Myron W., VIII Sarah Ann (dead), VIII Cora, and VIII Uella.

4841 VII MOYER, LOVINA, was born February 12th, 1851. She is married to Absalom Meyer. They reside at Peabody, Kansas. To them are born nine children, namely: VIII Alfred, VIII Elmina, VIII

Martha, VIII Lydia, VIII Edith, VIII Elsie, VIII Edna, VIII Arthur, and VIII Orrel.

4842 VII MOYER, ABRAHAM, was born November 9th, 1853. On August 8th, 1878, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Adam and Doratha (Herman) Daum. She was born June 13th, 1858. In 1877 Mr. Moyer left Breslau and went to Listowel, Ontario, where he and John W. Meyer went into partnership and purchased the Maitland Valley Roller Flour Mills. In 1889 they leased the Victoria Flour Mills† in Palmerston, to which place Mr. Moyer then moved where he is doing a well paying business. His family consists of six children, namely: VIII Clara, VIII Clinton, VIII Byron, VIII Ella, VIII Stanley, and VIII Edna.

4843 VII MOYER, LEVI, the youngest in the family, was born June 25th, 1856. On September 25th, 1878, he was married to Magdalena, youngest daughter of David and Hannah (Kolb) Bricker. She was born March 28th, 1859. He was engaged as clerk in his brother's store in Breslau, Ontario, when he took sick and died October 21st, 1880. His family consisted of two children, namely: VIII Dalton B., born June 29th, 1879, and VIII Myria B., born May 19th, 1880.

4844 VI MOYER, JACOB, the second son of Henry Moyer, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, in 1805, and died at William Moyer's near Berlin, January 19th, 1860. He was born blind and after attaining the age of about five years became weak-minded.

4845 VI MOYER, CATHARINE, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, in 1807. She was married to John Bleam. They resided at Preston where she died in 1827. She left no issue.

† Since then they have purchased the mills.

4846 VI MOYER, WILLIAM, was born within a few miles of Doylestown, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, October 27th, 1809. In 1825 he came to Canada with his parents and made Waterloo County his home. His first years in this county were spent in following his trade, namely in contracting and building all kinds of mason work. During his time he constructed many a stone house and put up the stone foundations of mostly all the bank barns built in the township between the years 1826 and 1838. On December 15th, 1835, he was married to Mary, daughter of Peter and Susannah (Bomberger) Erb. She was born October 16th, 1818. After their marriage they resided in Preston, thence, in 1837, moved on a farm near Williamsburg where they lived for some years, then moved on the farm now owned by Isidore B. Snyder, a little east of Berlin. Here they resided until his death which took place June 23rd, 1877.† Some time after his death his widow moved to Berlin where she still resides. To them was born a family of eight children, viz:

4847 VII MOYER, PETER ERB WILLIAM, M. A., was born in the village of Preston, Waterloo County, Ontario, Canada, October 3rd, 1836. When the subject of this notice was only about a year old his parents moved to a bush farm in what is now known as Williamsburg neighborhood, Waterloo Township, where his early years were spent, working on the farm in summer and going to school in winter. When only fifteen years of age he commenced to teach a public school and spent some four or five years between teaching in winter, helping on the farm in summer, and engaging in some minor business affairs. When about twenty years old an event transpired which was the means of changing the whole tenor and ambition of his after life. Becoming convinced that life would be a great failure without the love of Christ in his heart, he gave himself to the Saviour of men and became a member of the Methodist Church of which he has been an active and zealous member ever after. He had a strong desire to do what good he could to his fellowmen and very soon commenced to perform the duties of a local preacher.

† While unloading a load of gravel on Foundry Street, Berlin, one of the horses kicked him, causing instant death.

He then attended Victoria University, at that time located in Cobourg, Ontario, for four years and graduated in arts, receiving the degree of B. A., and three years later that of M. A. He spent three years as a travelling preacher, but owing to failing of health and other considerations, satisfactory to his own mind, he decided to devote himself to newspaper life, having for some years acted as correspondent of a number of leading religious and secular papers in Canada and the United States, all his articles being of more than ordinary ability and gladly accepted. In spring of 1866 he purchased the *Waterloo Chronicle* which he conducted for some four years and greatly increased the number of its subscribers, the amount of its business and financial value. During the first of these years he wrote a history or sketches of the early settlements and pioneers of Waterloo and published them in a series of articles in that paper. They were highly interesting and have been made the foundation for all succeeding attempts to write larger or shorter accounts of these early eventful times. Disposing of his Waterloo business, he purchased a daily paper in St. Catharines which he successfully carried on for eight years. Having a good offer to dispose of that establishment, he accepted it and then returned with his family to his native county and shortly after started the *Berlin Daily News* of which he is still editor and proprietor. He is a fluent, independent and vigorous writer, intensely in earnest, thoroughly Canadian in all his feelings and aspirations, and never fails to make his readers understand what he means. His domestic life has been unusually happy. In 1868 he was married to Elizabeth H., the eldest daughter of the late William Ardagh, alderman and contractor, Toronto, and they have been blessed with nine bright children who are all alive at this time of printing. Mr. Moyer has for many years been an efficient and able member of the municipal council of the town of Berlin and has never failed to use his best energies to advance its interests and promote its growth. There are few, if any, public improvements in the town which have not had his strong advocacy and help. He has also held a number of other offices of trust, the duties of which he has always faithfully attended to. He is a member of a number of benefit and

fraternal societies, and in some of them from year to year a representative, officer and active worker in their supreme councils. For nearly forty years he has been an official and active worker in the Methodist Church, and has been a lay delegate in a number of annual conferences and of the last general conference, the highest court and only legislative body of that great church. Mr. Moyer has had a very busy life, a large part of his work being done under the disadvantage of being a great sufferer for many years from feeble health and chronic rheumatism. The names of his children are as follows: VIII Alice, VIII Mary, VIII William, married to Minnie Wagner, VIII Ellen, VIII Ada, VIII Charles, VIII Edward, VIII Lillie, and VIII Herbert.

4848 VII MOYER, SAMUEL E., was born August 11th, 1839. His younger days were spent in the school room—teaching. Not finding this calling to his taste, he purchased a farm a little east of Waterloo where he was engaged in farming for a number of years. Some eight or ten years ago he disposed of his farm and moved to Berlin where he lives retired. He was first married to Jennet Bigger and after her decease to Rebecca Service. To him and his first wife were born two daughters, VIII Mary Jane and VIII Louisa, and with second wife there are three children, VIII Edith, VIII Claude, and VIII Allan.

4849 VII MOYER, SUSANNAH, was born August 25th, 1842. She is married to John B. Snyder, a manufacturer. They reside in the town of Waterloo and have four children, namely: VIII Harriet, VIII Martha, VIII Lizzie, and VIII Anna Florence. See John B. Snyder's family.

4850 VII MOYER, HANNAH, was born May 31st, 1846. She is married to Dilman Kolb. They used to live on the farm but some years ago they retired from farming and moved to Berlin where they still reside. To them were born five children, namely: VIII Ida, VIII Alberta, VIII Alice, VIII William Ammon, and VIII Ada. See Dilman Kolb's family.

4851 VII MOYER, CYRUS E., was born July 11th, 1849. He is proprietor of one of the best paying hardware establishments in the town of Berlin, which he manages himself. He is married to Lizzie, daughter of Sheriff Springer. They have no family.

4852 VII MOYER, FLORENCE, was born November 16th, 1856, and died January 10th, 1857.

4853 VII MOYER, ELIZABETH JANE, was born April 18th, 1859, and died October 18th, 1878.

4854 VII MOYER, MARY PAMELIA, was born May 20th, 1862. She is married to Josiah Betzner, a book-keeper. They reside in Berlin. To them were born seven children, namely: VIII Cora, VIII Nettie, VIII Hugh, VIII Flossie, VIII Catharine (dead), VIII Orvi Victor, and VIII Myrtle. See No. 929.

4855 VI MOYER, HENRY S., was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, October 1st, 1816, and came to Canada in 1825. In 1844 he was married to Catharine Schiedel who was born November 24th, 1826, and died April 28th, 1871. They resided on the farm now owned by Daniel Wenger where he died November 30th, 1851, leaving a family of four children, viz:

4856 VII MOYER, JOSIAH, was born April 19th, 1845. On November 24th, 1868, he was married to Lydia Ann Shantz. They reside in Remus, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born four children, namely: VIII Matilda, VIII Milo, VIII Lydia Ann (dead), and VIII Malvin.

4857 VII MOYER, NOAH, was born September 11th, 1846. On February 23rd, 1869, he was married to

Wilhelmine Krueger. They reside a little north of Preston where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of five children, namely: VIII Nancy, VIII Lucinda, VIII Ella, VIII Edwin B., and VIII Milton.

4858 VII MOYER, MARY, was born October 5th, 1848, and died February 5th, 1852.

4859 VII MOYER, WILLIAM, was born December 19th, 1850. He is married to Rosa Seiler and resides near Burford Station, Oxford County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To him and his wife were born five children, namely: VIII Irwin (dead), VIII Elam, VIII Nehemiah, VIII Orlando, and VIII Rufus.

4860 MOYER, ISAAC H., son of Samuel B. and Magdalena (Houser) Moyer, was born in Clinton Township, Lincoln County, Ontario, near Jordan, March 10th, 1836. In November 1859, he left his parental home and came to Waterloo where he engaged himself to Amos Schwartz to learn the painting business which he followed many years. On February 11th, 1862, he was married to Esther, daughter of Benjamin and Nancy (Shantz) Weber. They resided in the town of Waterloo until October, 1875, when they moved near Bloomingdale where he follows farming and raising fruit and vegetables for the market. On April 7th, 1886, his wife died, leaving a family of six children. On October 3rd, 1886, he was again married to Sarah, daughter of Jacob E. and Elizabeth (Clemens) Schneider. She was born June 1st, 1845. The names of Mr. Moyer's family are as follows:

4861 MOYER, ANNA, was born June 7th, 1863. She was married to Isaac M. Martin. They resided near Conestogo where he died March 23rd, 1894, leaving a family of four children, namely: Sylvester, Amon, Emmerson, and Mary Ann (dead).

4862 MOYER, BENJAMIN W., born Dec. 27th, 1873.

4863 MOYER, SAMUEL W., born August 23rd, 1875, died same day.

4864 MOYER, SIMEON W., born December 5th, 1876.

4865 MOYER, ISRAEL W., born March 22nd, 1879.

4866 MOYER, MAGDALENA, born October 10th, 1882.

4867 MOYER, DAVID H., son of Samuel B. and Magdalena (Houser) Moyer, was born July 20th, 1842. In autumn of 1865 he was married to Anna, daughter of John and Catharine (High) Moyer who died April 4th, 1885. In October, 1885, he was married again to Mary H. Houser. He resided in Campden, Lincoln County, Ontario, until 1886 when he moved to Pelham where he resided until autumn of 1887, then they moved to Berlin where he resided until 1894 when he entered the ministry of the sect known as the Church of God and is now engaged in the ministerial work for that body. His family consisted of four children, viz:

4868 MOYER, THEODORE, date of birth not received.

4869 MOYER, EVALENA, born July 17th, 1873, died in August, 1878.

4870 MOYER, VERNON SYLVENE, born April 4th, 1885.

4871 MOYER, LILLIE ANN, born December 5th, 1887.

4872 MOYER, DILMAN G., son of Jacob L. and Barbara (Gehman) Moyer, was born in Clinton Township, Lincoln County, Ontario, near Campden, December 18th, 1852. On April 9th, 1876, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob Y. and Nancy (Brubacher) Shantz. She was born March 25th, 1856, and died August 29th, 1881. In 1882 he was again married to Margaret, daughter of Lawrence and Catharine (Bushey)

Hipple. She was born August 6th, 1856. After Mr. Moyer's marriage he resided on his father's old homestead where he was engaged in farming. On April 3rd, 1878, they moved to Waterloo County, and settled on the old "Alderson Farm" near Bridgeport, Ontario, where he resided until October, 1885, when he moved on the "Peter Erb, Jr., Farm" about a mile north of Bridgeport where he still resides. This place he purchased in March, 1886. His family consists of nine children, two of whom were born unto him and his first wife. The names of the children are as follows, namely: Milton, Susannah (dead), Eva, Gordon, Ida, Ethel, Katie, Herschel, and Tina Elizabeth.

4873 MOYER, JONAS, son of Abraham F. and Elizabeth (Schwartz) Moyer, was born in Lincoln County, Ontario, October 17th, 1826. On October 5th, 1856, he was married to Esther, daughter of Samuel S. and Elizabeth (Wismer) Moyer. She was born in Lincoln County, Ontario, March 16th, 1833, and died near Freeport, Waterloo County, Ontario, September 1st, 1881. After Mr. Moyer's marriage he resided on his father's old homestead where he was engaged in farming. Some twenty years ago he moved to Waterloo County where he has since resided. At present he has his home with Mr. John Erb near Berlin. To him and his wife were born eight children, viz:

4874 MOYER, MENNO, was born September 1st, 1857. He is married to Magdalena L. Hesse. They reside at Bloomingdale, Ontario, where he is engaged as a wage-earner. His family is as follows, namely: William, Angns, Sylvester Edward, Bertha Elizabeth, and Amelia Jane.

4875 MOYER, SYLVESTER, D. D. S., was born near Beamsville, Lincoln County, Ontario, February 20th, 1859. He spent his boyhood days on the farm. When about seventeen years of age he attended the High School and in a year thereafter passed the teachers' examination for the province of Ontario. For ten years he was engaged as a public school teacher, after which time he found teaching not altogether to his taste, he

resigned his position as principal of the Preston public schools and directed his attention to the profession of dentistry. In due time he received the degree of L. D. S. and soon after the degree of D. D. S. from the Toronto University. Immediately after passing his examinations he bought an established business in Galt, Ontario, where he has since been engaged in his profession and is, according to report, doing an extensive and remunerative business. On October 12th, 1886, he was married to Jennie Hunter. His family consists of two children, namely: Leslie Clare and Alice Maud.

4876 MOYER, ELIZABETH, was born February 22nd, 1861. She is married to Levi H. Stauffer, a farmer. They reside near Breslau, Ontario. No family. See Levi H. Stauffer.

4877 MOYER, MORGAN, was born November 16th, 1863. He was married to Marguerite Florence Bain, February 1st, 1888. They reside at Montreal Junction, Ontario, where he is engaged as a real estate agent. Their family consists of two children, namely: Hazel Estella and Marguerite Olive.

4878 MOYER, SIMON, was born February 20th, 1866. He was married to Lydia Ann Snyder. They resided near Freeport, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming. On August 9th, 1892, he was killed by lightning. His family consisted of one child named Elva (dead).

4879 MOYER, JONAS A., was born May 30th, 1869. He is married to Charlotte McGwinn. They reside at St. Thomas, Ontario, where he is engaged as baggage and expressman on the Ingersoll branch of the C. P. R. R.

4880 MOYER, ANNA, was born August 8th, 1873. She resides in the town of Galt, Ontario.

4881 MOYER, ALICE, was born August 5th, 1876, and died February 28th, 1881.

MOSSER.

4882 I MOSSER, JACOB, was one of the early pioneer settlers of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, to which his father had moved from Switzerland at a very early date. We find that they were members of the Mennonite faith which may have been the cause of their settling in Lancaster County. At so late a date and in the absence of all records it is hard to obtain all the desired information pertaining to this family. We could not obtain names of parents of I Jacob. Tradition has it that his name was Peter and that he emigrated to America about the year 1754. His family is said to have consisted of seven or eight children. We know the names of but two, namely: I Anna, born February 8th, 1748, and died May 8th, 1823, who was married to old Henry Wanner (See Henry Wanner's family), and I Jacob, who was born about the year 1751. He resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and was married and had a family. The names of two of the children were II Jacob and II Peter. Of II Jacob we have no information, quite likely his descendants are yet residing in Lancaster and adjoining counties of Pennsylvania. Of II Peter we have more information, viz:

4883 II MOSSER, PETER, was born April 6th, 1785. He was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Henry and Anna (Mosser) Wanner. She was born July 25th, 1781. In 1824 they moved to Canada and settled on a farm adjoining that of David Pannebecker's near Hespeler where she died November 22nd, 1858, and he died† July 28th, 1872. To them was born a family of eight children, viz:

4884 III MOSSER, JACOB, was married to Anna Groh who was born February 28th, 1816. They resided

† The house on the old "Mosser Farm" was accidentally destroyed by fire and he was burnt with the house.

near Fisher's Mills. To them was born a large family, namely: IV John, IV Elizabeth, IV Mary, IV Abigail, IV Amos, IV Henry, IV Catharine, IV Susannah, IV Jacob, IV Noah, IV Hannah, IV Samuel, and IV Anna.

4885 III MOSSER, MARY, was born November 9th, 1812. On January 10th, 1830, she was married to David Reist who was born January 21st, 1805. They resided near Kossuth, Ontario, on the farm now possessed by their son, Peter. See David Reist's family.

4886 III MOSSER, HENRY, was born January 31st, 1814. On September 13th, 1836, he was married to Maria, daughter of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist. She was born December 17th, 1812, and died May 3rd, 1894. In 1838 they moved to Woolwich Township, a little south-west of Elmira, on lot No. 108, German Company's Tract, where he is still residing. To them were born ten children, viz:

4887 IV MOSSER, SUSANNAH, was born May 23rd, 1837. She is home with her father.

4888 IV MOSSER, VERONICA, was born January 18th, 1839. She is also home with her father.

4889 IV MOSSER, ANNA, was born October 6th, 1840, and died June 18th, 1881. She was married to George Koenig and had a family of three children, namely: V Henry, V Mary Ann, and V Lydia Ann.

4890 IV MOSSER, MARIA, was born September 6th, 1842. She is home yet.

4891 IV MOSSER, SAMUEL, was born March 15th, 1845. He is also home yet.

4892 IV MOSSER, BARBARA, was born May 16th,

1847. She is married to John Lackner who was born October 26th, 1844. They reside on her father's old farm and have a family of four children, namely: V Henry and Susannah (twins), V Menno (dead), and V Mary Ann.

4893 IV MOSSER, MAGDALENA, was born February 26th, 1849. On October 17th, 1876, she was married to Daniel Gingerich. They reside near Winfield P. O., Peel Township, Wellington County, Ontario, where he is farming. To them were born five children, namely: V Lydia (dead), V Addison, V Anson, V Daniel, and V Henry.

4894 IV MOSSER, HENRY, was born August 9th, 1851. On March 11th, 1877, he was married to Barbara Witzel. They reside about three miles west of Elmira, Peel Township, near Wallenstein P. O. They have six children, namely: V Angeline, V Daniel, V John, V Susannah, V Mary Ann, and V Amos.

4895 IV MOSSER, PETER, was born December 20th, 1854. He has his home with his brother, Henry.

4896 IV MOSSER, JOHN, was born June 25th, 1857, and died March 21st, 1872.

4897 III MOSSER, ELIZABETH, was born January 29th, 1816. On March 25th, 1834, she was married to Jacob G. Stauffer who was born January 17th, 1813, and died in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario, November 27th, 1879. See Jacob G. Stauffer's family.

4898 III MOSSER, PETER, twin brother to Elizabeth, was born January 29th, 1816. He was first married to Susannah Bear who was born July 6th, 1822, and

died April 7th, 1854. After her decease he was married to Anna Fordney, widow of Henry Wanner. He had a family of six children, viz:

4899 IV MOSSER, AARON, a mechanist, is married to Veronica Wanner and resides at Parkhill, Ontario.

4900 IV MOSSER, ISAAC, a painter, is married to Catharine Geip and resides at Elmira, Ontario.

4901 IV MOSSER, LOVINA, is married to Joel Wanner, a farmer. They reside near New Dundee, Ontario.

4902 IV MOSSER, SALOME, is married to Hiram Martin, a cabinet maker. They reside in Berlin, Ontario, and have one son named V Hilkiah.

4903 IV MOSSER, JOHN, a carder and spinner, is married to Caroline Beasley who died some time ago. He resides in Galt where he is engaged in the woollen mills.

4904 IV MOSSER, EPHRAIM, a blacksmith, is unmarried and when last heard of him he was in Michigan.

4905 III MOSSER, LEAH, was born September 7th, 1818. On January 13th, 1836, she was married to Daniel Reist who was born August 9th, 1816, and died June 27th, 1891. They resided about two miles east of Breslau where she died August 29th, 1882. See Daniel Reist's family.

4906 III MOSSER, NANCY, was married to Eli Wildfong. They resided on her father's old place when the house was burnt. To them was born a family of ten children, namely: IV John, IV Joseph, IV Amos, IV Elizabeth, IV Sarah, IV Daniel, IV Leah,

IV Eli, IV Simon and IV Peter (twins). See Eli Wildfong's family.

4907 III MOSSER, SALLIE, was first married to Samuel Shupe and after his decease to Charles Richter. They resided a little east of Hespeler where he was engaged in farming. To her and her first husband was born one daughter named IV Mary who was married to Jacob Holm but she died some years ago. Of her second husband there were two sons named IV Peter and IV John.

MUSSELMAN.

The two old pioneer settlers of this numerous family were David and Frederick who were no relatives to each other. They came to Canada in 1819 and settled in Waterloo County. The former, Mr. David Musselman, settled in Woolwich Township, near Conestogo, on the farm now possessed by David Koch, while Frederick Musselman settled on the farm known as Rev. Elias Snider's place a little north of Waterloo. We shall first give the family of David and then of Frederick.

4908 I MUSSELMAN, DAVID, was a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was born April 18th, 1799, and was married to Esther, daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin. She was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 29th, 1803, and died July 31st, 1872. He died October 25th, 1870. To them was born a family of twelve children, namely.

4909 II MUSSELMAN, NANCY, was born December 26th, 1823. She was married to David D. Baumann who was born March 14th, 1820, and died December 20th, 1876. See Nos. 471 to 479.

4910 II MUSSELMAN, PETER M., was born October 7th, 1825. On November 30th, 1847, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Christian and Magdalena (Shantz) Schneider. She was born April 2nd, 1829. After their marriage they moved on their farm near Conestogo where they are at present residing. To them was born a family of eleven children, viz:

4911 III MUSSELMAN, JOSEPH S., was born February 4th, 1849. On December 31st, 1871, he was married to Mary Baumann. They reside in Berlin where he is working at the carpenter trade. To them were born ten children, namely: IV Amos, IV Clara, IV Ida, IV Adline, IV Malinda, IV Nerva, IV Lizzie, IV Magdalena, IV Stanley, and IV Mary.

4912 III MUSSELMAN, MENNO S., was born October 23rd, 1850. He is unmarried and has his home with his parents.

4913 III MUSSELMAN, MARY S., was born July 18th, 1852. She is unmarried and stays home with her parents.

4914 III MUSSELMAN, HENRY S., was born September 7th, 1854, and died October 6th, 1874.

4915 III MUSSELMAN, DAVID S., was born July 18th, 1856, and died December 11th, 1870.

4916 III MUSSELMAN, ABRAHAM S., was born May 5th, 1858, and died October 4th, 1858.

4917 III MUSSELMAN, JOHN S., was born May 6th, 1860. He is married to Lydia Snider who was born

April 8th, 1861. They reside near Elmira where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Ervine, IV Alvin, IV Amos, IV Edwin, and IV Peter Oscar.

4918 III MUSSELMAN, ELIZABETH S., was born December 12th, 1862. On December 31st, 1882, she was married to David M. Weber who was born October 25th, 1858. They reside near Conestogo, Ontario, where he is farming. They have five children, namely: IV Alice, IV Emma, IV Ellen, IV Ivan, and IV Sylva.

4919 III MUSSELMAN, MAGDALENA S., was born July 11th, 1865. She is married to Julius Allemang and resides in Berlin. They have two children, namely: IV Elma and IV Lorne.

4920 III MUSSELMAN, ESTHER S., was born January 14th, 1868. She is home with her parents and unmarried.

4921 III MUSSELMAN, PETER S., the youngest in the family, was born October 25th, 1871. He is unmarried and is at home working his father's farm.

4922 II MUSSELMAN, MAGDALENA, was born December 16th, 1827. On February 6th, 1846, she was married to John E. Brubacher. They resided several miles north-west of Waterloo where she died July 5th, 1877. See Nos. 1397 to 1411.

4923 II MUSSELMAN, DANIEL M., was born April 10th, 1830, and died in July, 1830.

4924 II MUSSELMAN, DAVID M., was born May 26th, 1832. On December 7th, 1852, he was married to Magdalena Brubacher. She was born March 10th, 1834. They reside in the town of Berlin

where he is engaged as a veterinary surgeon. To them were born twelve children, viz:

4925 III MUSSELMAN, HANNAH, was born August 27th, 1853. She is married to Franklin Brubacher, a farmer. They reside several miles north-west of Bridgeport, Ontario. They have no family.

4926 III MUSSELMAN, LEVI, was born February 14th, 1855. He was accidentally drowned at Port Elgin, Ontario, July 13th, 1873.

4927 III MUSSELMAN, CATHARINE, was born November 3rd, 1857. She is unmarried and is engaged in the J. Y. Shantz & Son Button Company's factory.

4928 III MUSSELMAN, DANIEL, was born July 17th, 1859, and died November 20th, 1863.

4929 III MUSSELMAN, LYDIA, was born August 17th, 1860. She is engaged in sewing and dressmaking.

4930 III MUSSELMAN, MARY, was born November 2nd, 1862. She resides in Buffalo, New York, where she is engaged in a private home.

4931 III MUSSELMAN, SOLOMON, was born July 14th, 1864. He resides in Wolseley, Assa., North West Territory, where he is overseer over an extensive cattle ranche. He is also a local preacher and a justice of the peace for that section of the country.

4932 III MUSSELMAN, SUSANNAH, was born September 28th, 1866. She is engaged in The Williams, Green & Rome shirt factory, in Berlin.

4933 III MUSSELMAN, DAVID B., was born February 3rd, 1869. He resides in Berlin where he is engaged in the blacksmithing and wagon-building

business, and has a commercial livery in connection with his business. He is unmarried.

4934 III MUSSELMAN, JOHN B., was born March 11th, 1871. He is engaged as book-keeper with the Berlin Shirt & Collar Company.

4935 III MUSSELMAN, ELIZABETH, was born January 28th, 1874. She resides in Berlin where she is engaged in dressmaking.

4936 III MUSSELMAN, REBECCA, was born April 15th, 1878. She is attending business college, preparing herself for a book-keeper.

4937 II MUSSELMAN, MARY, was born November 24th, 1833. On January 6th, 1852, she was married to Henry Brubacher. They resided on the old "John Brubacher Farm" a little east of Berlin where she died November 20th, 1867, leaving a family of ten children. See Nos. 1412 to 1422.

4938 II MUSSELMAN, JOHN, was born November 15th, 1835. He was married to Susannah Snyder who was born November 28th, 1831, and died July 23rd, 1859. After her decease he was married to Amanda Lichty who was born in November, 1842, and died January 8th, 1882. They resided near Port Elgin, Ontario. At present Mr. John Musselman has his home with Mr. Simeon Brubacher of Berlin. His family consists of ten children, viz:

4939 III MUSSELMAN, BENJAMIN, a teamster, resides in Berlin. He is married to Leah Koch and has a family of four children, namely: IV Gordon, IV Eden, IV Walter, and IV Herbert.

4940 III MUSSELMAN, SARAH, is married to Jacob Horst, a farmer. They reside at Akron, Michigan.

To them are born four children, namely: IV Susannah, IV John, IV Amanda, and IV Arthur.

4941 III MUSSELMAN, SUSANNAH, resides in Berlin, where she is engaged in the shirt factory. She is not married.

4942 III MUSSELMAN, AMSEY, is married to Ida Hess. They reside at Bloomfield, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

4943 III MUSSELMAN, MANOAH, was married to Margaret Gilles and after her decease to Lizzie Crowder. They reside at Akron, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

4944 III MUSSELMAN, AMANDA, resides in Berlin where she is engaged in the shirt factory.

4945 III MUSSELMAN, GEORGE, resides with Mr. Enoch Baumann near Conestogo where he is engaged as a wage-earner.

4946 III MUSSELMAN, JOHN, is working with Rev. Jonas B. Snider near Waterloo.

4947 III MUSSELMAN, LUCINDA, has her home with Mr. Franklin Brubacher near Bridgeport.

4948 III MUSSELMAN, PETER, the youngest, is with Mr. Henry Martin near Conestogo.

4949 II MUSSELMAN, LYDIA, was born in July, 1838. On March 4th, 1862, she was married to Samuel Brubacher who was born January 4th, 1829. They resided in Berlin where he died December 2nd, 1875, leaving a family of nine children. After Mr. Brubacher's decease she was married to Rev. Daniel Wismer. See Nos. 1425 to 1434.

4950 II MUSSELMAN, SOLOMON M., was born Sep-

tember 8th, 1840. On March 31st, 1861, he was married to Barbara D. Martin who was born August 17th, 1841. Soon after their marriage he moved on his father's old homestead near Conestogo where he died December 9th, 1891. Some time after his decease the widow left the farm and made her home with her daughter, Mary, where she still resides. To them was born the following family, viz:

4951 III MUSSELMAN, NOAH, was born September 6th, 1862, and died April 10th, 1863.

4952 III MUSSELMAN, PETER, was born October 24th, 1863, and died November 27th, 1863.

4953 III MUSSELMAN, MARY, was born November 10th, 1864. She is married to David Scheifley. They reside in Woolwich Township, about a mile east of St. Jacobs, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consisted of two children, namely: IV Laura (dead) and IV Orvan.

4954 III MUSSELMAN, DAVID M., was born September 9th, 1866. He is married to Elizabeth Schlitt. They reside in Waterloo where he is engaged in the foundry. They have one child named IV Hildah.

4955 III MUSSELMAN, ESTHER, was born August 17th, 1868. She is married to Gideon Snyder, a farmer. They reside a little north of St. Jacobs. Their family consists of two children, namely: IV Viola and IV Malvon.

4956 III MUSSELMAN, ANNA, was born December 4th, 1870. She is married to Simon Moyer, a merchant and tinsmith. They reside in Breslau, Ontario, and have a family of three children, namely: IV Edna (dead), IV Floyd, and IV Stanley.

4957 III MUSSELMAN, ENOCH, was born in January, 1873, and died August 15th, 1888.

4958 III MUSSELMAN, BENJAMIN, was born February 8th, 1875, and died March 14th, 1875.

4959 III MUSSELMAN, URSULA, was born February 25th, 1876. She is residing with her sister, Mary.

4960 III MUSSELMAN, SOLOMON, Jr., was born June 31st, 1878, and died August 28th, 1878.

4961 III MUSSELMAN, THEODORE, the youngest in the family, was born April 1st, 1880. He has his home with his mother.

4962 II MUSSELMAN, ESTHER, was born November 8th, 1841. In January, 1861, she was married to Amos D. Martin who was born August 4th, 1838. They resided near Conestogo where he died November 29th, 1871. In December, 1882, she was again married to John E. Brubacher. See Amos D. Martin's family.

4963 II MUSSELMAN, LEAH, was born May 3rd, 1844. On October 21st, 1862, she was married to Absalom Martin who was born November 1st, 1840, and died September 13th, 1887. After Mr. Martin's death she was again married, December 2nd, 1894, to Deacon Menno S. Shantz. See Absalom Martin's family.

4964 II MUSSELMAN, ELIZABETH, the youngest in the family, was born November 27th, 1845. On October 6th, 1872, she was married to Moses Brubacher who was born August 5th, 1847. They reside in Woolwich Township, about three miles east of Heidelberg. See No. 1393.

4965 I MUSSELMAN, FREDERICK, was a native of

Germany where he was born in 1793. When a mere lad he came to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was raised. In 1819 he, in company with David Musselman, John Huber, Abraham Martin, Samuel Bechtel, Joseph Baumann, Isaac Master, and others, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. Mr. F. Musselman settled on the farm known as Rev. Elias Snider's farm a little north of Waterloo. He was married to Anna, daughter of Jacob and Salome (Graybill) Erb. She was born in 1801 and died April 28th, 1865. He died January 16th, 1852. To them were born eight children, viz:

4966 II MUSSELMAN, MOSES, the eldest in family, was born October 1st, 1828. On October 7th, 1851, he was married to Catharine Martin. She was born December 24th, 1830. He died October 25th, 1884. After his disease the widow was married to Peter Winger of Elmira where she is residing at present. Their family consisted of fifteen children, viz:

4967 III MUSSELMAN, SUSANNAH, was born March 8th, 1852. She was married to William Cann and after his decease to Moses B. Hembling who died in Arthur, Ontario, November 25th, 1894. They resided in Oaks, North Dakota, U. S., until October, 1894, when they returned to Arthur, Ontario, where he died. She has a family of six children, namely: IV Archibald, IV Harvey, and IV Lovina with first husband, and IV Moses, IV Elsie and IV Eldron with second husband.

4968 III MUSSELMAN, TILMAN, was born January 28th, 1853. He is married to Elizabeth Willie. They reside four miles north of Elmira where he is

engaged in farming. Their family consists of two children, namely: IV Catharine and IV Emma.

4969 III MUSSELMAN, ANNA, was born March 23rd, 1854. She is married to Robert Walker and resides in Waterloo. Their family consists of two children, namely: IV Mortimer and IV May.

4970 III MUSSELMAN, LEAH, was born March 28th, 1856, and died May 18th, 1856.

4971 III MUSSELMAN, MARY ANN, was born March 10th, 1857, and died October 19th, 1858.

4972 III MUSSELMAN, LEVI, was born December 11th, 1859. He is married to Mary McKechran and resides in Guelph, Ontario. They have two children, namely: IV Christina and IV Anna Belle.

4973 III MUSSELMAN, FRANKLIN, was born July 1st, 1861. He is married to Hannah Oberholtzer and resides in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in manufacturing boots and shoes with Mr. C. Oberholtzer. His family consists of five children, namely: IV Mabel, IV Almeda, IV Lula, IV Herbert, and IV Clara.

4974 III MUSSELMAN, MENNO M., was born January 23rd, 1863. He was married to Clara Oberholtzer and resided in Puslinch Township, Wellington County, Ontario, where he died July 20th, 1895, leaving a family of three children, namely: IV Flossie, IV Arthur, and IV Ethel.

4975 III MUSSELMAN, SAMUEL, was born December 31st, 1864. He is married to Mary Ann Grant, and resides near McMillan P. O., Michigan. To them are born four children, namely: IV Edward, IV Edna, IV Allan (dead), IV Harvey.

4976 III MUSSELMAN, EZRA, was born January 23rd, 1867. He is married to Annie Gilles and resides in Buffalo, New York. They have one son named IV Almer.

4977 III MUSSELMAN, NOAH, was born January 24th, 1869. He is married to Angeline Beatty. They reside in Buffalo, New York. No issue.

4978 III MUSSELMAN, CLEASON, was born March 15th, 1870. He is married to Lizzie Kremm and resides in Floradale. They have one son named IV Wesley Walter.

4979 III MUSSELMAN, MALISSA, was born December 4th, 1871. She is engaged in dressmaking and resides with her mother in Elmira. She is not married.

4980 III MUSSELMAN, MALINDA, twin sister to Malissa, died December 29th, 1871.

4981 III MUSSELMAN, EMANUEL, the youngest in the family was born June 6th, 1873. He is engaged in the Elmira foundry and has his home with his mother. He is not married.

4982 II MUSSELMAN, ISAAC, the second son of Frederick and Anna (Erb) Musselman, was born September 1st, 1833. He was first married to Magdalena Groff who was born April 8th, 1832, and died July 21st, 1856, leaving two children. After her decease he was married to Susannah, daughter of Peter and Maria (Bowman) Winger. She was born January 23rd, 1840. They resided in Elmira where he died September 4th, 1884. His family is as follows, viz:

4983 III MUSSELMAN, MAGDALENA G., was born

December 25th, 1853. She was married to Amos Martin and resides in Elmira, Ontario. They have seven children, namely: IV Menno, IV Lydia Ann, IV Angeline, IV Isaac, IV Peter, IV Catharine, and IV Angus.

4984 III MUSSELMAN, ISRAEL, was born January 10th, 1856, and died January 25th, 1872.

4985 III MUSSELMAN, ANNA MARIA, was born December 29th, 1858. She is married to James Maxwell, a carriage builder and general blacksmith. They reside in Bellefountain, Ontario. Their family consists of four children, namely: IV Zeneda, IV Ida, IV Maude, and IV Orton.

4986 III MUSSELMAN, JOSIAH, was born February 29th, 1860. He is married to Catharine Beatty. They reside in Elmira and have a family of four children, namely: IV Alvin, IV Ivan, IV Ervine, and IV Austin.

4987 III MUSSELMAN, HENRY, was born August 23rd, 1861. He is married to Lillie Morrison. When last heard of them they resided in South Dakota and had one child named IV Emma.

4988 III MUSSELMAN, ISAAC W., was born August 31st, 1864. He is unmarried and resides in Waterloo.

4989 III MUSSELMAN, SUSANNAH, was born January 2nd, 1867. She is married to James Sinclair and resides in Galt, Ontario. They have one child named IV Arling James.

4990 III MUSSELMAN, NORMAN, was born March 15th, 1869, and died April 19th, 1869.

4991 III MUSSELMAN, ELENOR, was born May 2nd, 1870. She is home with her mother and unmarried.

4992 III MUSSELMAN, IDA, was born May 18th, 1872, and died January 7th, 1882.

4993 III MUSSELMAN, EMMA, was born February 14th, 1874, and died January 7th, 1882.

4994 III MUSSELMAN, MINERVA, was born October 27th, 1877. She resides in Berlin.

4995 III MUSSELMAN, RUSSELL, was born January 3rd, 1882. He is at home and at present attends the public school of Elmira.

4996 II MUSSELMAN, MENNO, was born in the year 1835. He is unmarried and has his home with his brother, Joseph.

4997 II MUSSELMAN, JOSEPH, was born December 1st, 1838. He was married to Rebecca Gingerich who was born August 15th, 1842. Soon after their marriage they moved on their farm about one mile south of Floradale, Ontario, where she died April 29th, 1871, leaving seven children. After the decease of his first wife he was married, May 28th, 1872, to Catharine, daughter of John and Catharine Israel. She was born October 29th, 1854. His family is as follows, viz:

4998 III MUSSELMAN, MARY ANN, was born September 29th, 1860. She is married to George Lichty.

4999 III MUSSELMAN, AMOS, was born January 30th, 1862. He is married to Magdalena Allgeiger.

5000 III MUSSELMAN, AARON, was born August 23rd, 1863. He is married to Lydia Gabel.

5001 III MUSSELMAN, REBECCA, was born February 11th, 1865. She is married to Daniel Lichty.

5002 III MUSSELMAN, JOSEPH G., was born April 15th, 1867. He is married to Catharine Hoffman.

5003 III MUSSELMAN, JACOB, was born January 27th, 1869. He is married to Angeline Snyder.

5004 III MUSSELMAN, HENRY, was born October 10th, 1870, and died October 14th, 1870.

5005 III MUSSELMAN, CATHARINE, born March 8th, 1873.

5006 III MUSSELMAN, MENNO, born July 21st, 1874.

5007 III MUSSELMAN, ADELINE, born July 11, 1876.

5008 III MUSSELMAN, WILLIAM, born August 24th, 1878, died September 1st, 1878.

5009 III MUSSELMAN, EDWARD, born September 30th, 1879.

5010 III MUSSELMAN, LEAH, born June 19th, 1881, died June 20th, 1881.

5011 III MUSSELMAN, FREDERICK, born June 20th, 1882.

5012 III MUSSELMAN, ALBERT, born Dec. 5th, 1884.

5013 III MUSSELMAN, CLARA, born Aug. 14th, 1887.

5014 III MUSSELMAN, HARVEY, born August 7th, 1890.

5015 III MUSSELMAN, EMMERSON, born September 26th, 1893.

5016 II MUSSELMAN, MARY, was married to Michael Mosser, a farmer. They resided near Bamberg, in Wellesley Township, where she died in March, 1885, leaving a family of nine children, viz:

III JOSEPH is married to Catharine Mess. They reside at Bamberg and have a family of several children.

III WILLIAM is married to Sarah Lee. They reside at Dorking, Ontario, where he is engaged in blacksmithing.

III FREDERICK was first married to Mary Ann Erb and after her decease to Josephine Querin. They reside in Linwood, Ontario.

III HENRY is married to Mary Querin. They reside at St. Marys, Ontario, where he is proprietor of the Commercial Hotel.

III NANCY is married to Noah Shantz, a farmer. They reside near Crosshill, Ontario.

III MARY is married to Tilman Wismer. They reside near Doon where he is engaged in farming.

III CATHARINE is married to Henry Reichert. They reside near Macton, on the farm formerly owned by the late Daniel S. Eby.

III ENOCH is married to Mary Schlegel. They reside near Crosshill where he is engaged in farming.

III LOUISA, the ninth and youngest child in the family, is married to John Schlegel, a carpenter. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in Mr. Kaufman's factory.

5017 II MUSSELMAN, ANNA, second daughter of old Frederick Musselman, was born July 16th, 1826. In the year 1845 she was married to Christian Fry who was born at Dühren, Baden, Germany, June 16th, 1822, and emigrated to America in 1843. Soon after their marriage they moved on their farm in Wellesley, near Crosshill, Ontario, where they resided until quite recently when they quit the farm and made their home with their daughter, Mary. To them were born eleven children, viz:

III MARY, the eldest, was born February 24th, 1846. On May 11th, 1865, she was married to Jacob B. Martin. They follow farming and reside in Peel Township, near Wallenstein P. O., Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Menno, IV Christian, IV Anna, IV Jacob, IV Norman, IV Benjamin, IV Isaiah, IV Mary, and IV Enoch.

III MOSES was born February 12th, 1848, and died March 16th, 1849.

III FREDERICK was born February 12th, 1850. He is married and resides near Crosshill, Ontario, and has a family of three sons and one daughter, names not received.

III JACOB was born May 13th, 1852. He is married and resides in Stratford, Ontario. His family consists of two sons and one daughter.

III ANNA was born July 20th, 1854. She is married and resides in Listowel, Ontario, where she has a family of four sons and two daughters.

III CHRISTIAN, twin brother to Anna, died June 4th, 1857.

III MENNO was born June 11th, 1856, and died June 4th, 1857.

III EZRA was born May 13th, 1858, and died August 20th, 1887.

III ELIAS, was born September 20th, 1860, and died May 28th, 1878.

III JOSEPH was born September 21st, 1862, and died March 8th, 1864.

III BENJAMIN was born April 11th, 1865, and died October 10th, 1866.

5018 II MUSSELMAN, VERONICA, was born May 1st, 1840. On October 13th, 1857, she was married to Benjamin S. Baumann. They reside on a farm about two miles east of Elmira. See Nos. 341 to 353.

5019 II MUSSELMAN, SARAH, the youngest in the family, was born October 28th, 1843. On August 26th, 1860, she was married to Jacob Filsinger who was born February 20th, 1840. They reside near Mildmay, Ontario, where he has followed farming for a number of years. To them were born eight children, viz:

III HENRY was born September 26th, 1861. He is married to Catharine Miller and has a family of three children, namely: IV Sarah, IV Margaret, and IV Vernon.

III MOSES was born December 6th, 1863. He is married to Anna Vogt and has a family of one son named IV Frederick.

III JOHN was born February 22nd, 1866. He is married to Matilda Hamel and has one daughter named IV Nettie.

III SUSANNAH was born April 5th, 1868. She is married to John Hessenauer and has a family of four children, namely: IV William, IV Matilda Ann, IV Wesley, and IV Clarence.

III MARIA was born July 31st, 1870. She is married to Emanuel Bean and has one son named IV Gordon.

III ELIZABETH, was born May 24th, 1873. She is home and unmarried.

III JACOB M. was born November 20th, 1876. He is at home.

III ANNA, the youngest, was born August 26th, 1879. She is also home with her parents.

MYERS.

5020 I MYERS, MICHAEL, son of Abraham and Elizabeth (Delp) Myers, was born near Doylestown, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, August 24th, 1803. Upon leaving school he chose the milling trade as his calling. After having served his apprenticeship of three years, he continued in the service of his old master for another term of five years. In 1827 he left his native home and state and moved to Canada and settled in the town of Waterloo where he was employed by the late Jacob S. Shoemaker† as head miller. On October 11th, 1829, he was married to Mary (Polly), daughter of John and Mary (Shantz) Shoemaker. She was born May 28th, 1808. After their marriage they moved to Wilmot Township where he was engaged in farming for several years. In 1835 he was appointed as clerk of the township of Wilmot which position he held until his death which took place March 11th, 1879. They resided in the village of Baden where they possessed a beautiful home. After his decease the widow disposed of the property and moved to Berlin where she still resides with her adopted daughter, Miss Frances Well. To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Myers was born a family as follows:

5021 II MYERS, ABRAM, was born August 26th, 1830. He was first married to Sophia Schaefer and after her decease to Catharine Schaefer, sister to his first wife. Upon the decease of his second wife he was married a third time. His third wife was Catharine Thaler. They reside on a farm near Baden, Ontario. His family is as follows: Of first wife there was one son named

† Mr. Shoemaker had rented the Waterloo Union Mills from Mr. Abraham Erb.

III Nathaniel (dead); unto the second wife were born four children, namely: III Emanuel, III Albert, III Mary, and III Elvine; and unto third wife were born nine children, namely: III Eusebius, III John, III Barbara, III Matilda, III Annie, III Wesley, III Gertrude, III Edward, and III Clara.

5022 II MYERS, JOHN, was born December 23rd, 1831, and died August 20th, 1832.

5023 II MYERS, JACOB, was born July 7th, 1833. He was married to Veronica Shantz. They resided at Cavalier, North Dakota, U. S., where he died June 11th, 1894. Their family consisted of eight children, namely: III Lovina, III David, III Malinda, III Allan, III Mary Jane, III Angus, III Franklin, and III Ervine.

5024 II MYERS, MATILDA, was born March 18th, 1835, and died April 1st, 1839.

5025 II MYERS, VERONICA, was born November 30th, 1837. She was married to Daniel S. Eby. They resided near Berlin where he died May 17th, 1867. She died September 12th, 1869. They had three children, namely: III Emma Zelena, III Theophilus (dead), and III Effie Zilpha. See Daniel S. Eby's family.

5026 II MYERS, SAMUEL, was born November 23rd, 1839. He was married to Sarah Shantz and resides at Langdon, North Dakota, U. S. where he is engaged in farming. She died April 30th, 1894. To them were born nine children, namely: III Angeline, III Matilda, III Effie P., III Ephraim O., III Mary, III Manasseh, III Sandy, III Milton, and III Ida.

5027 II MYERS, IRA and ODO, twins, were born January 17th, 1842, and died January 20th, 1842.

5028 II MYERS, CAROLINE, was born April 26th, 1843, and died June 4th, 1846.

5029 II MYERS, HEZEKIAH, was born June 5th, 1846. He is married to Sarah Block. They reside at Wilmot Centre where he is engaged as a carpenter. Their family consists of nine children, namely: III Albanus, III Miranda, III James, III Lucy, III Susannah, III Isabella, III Emma, III Agnes, and III Ida.

5030 II MYERS, MAGDALENA, was born January 21st, 1849. She was married to Herman Kemkes, a builder. They resided in Hanover, Ontario, where she died August 14th, 1883, leaving a family of four children, namely: III Herman E., III Edwin, III Elvorena, and III Magdalena.

5031 II MYERS, JOSIAH, was born March 14th, 1854. He is married to Emeline Moyer. They reside near Langdon, Cavalier County, North Dakota, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born nine children, namely: III Annie Maria, III Sylvester H., III Elva, III Clara, III Curtus (dead), III Edna, III Rhoda, and two more, a son and a daughter whose names were not received.

5032 FRANCES WELL, the adopted daughter, was born April 13th, 1853. She is unmarried and resides in Berlin, near the United Brethren Church. Old Mrs. Myers has her home with Miss Well who is doing all she can to make the evening of her (Mrs. Myers) life pleasant and comfortable.

NAHRGANG.

The old pioneer settler of this highly respectable family was Christopher, son of George Nahrgang. He was born in Lahrbach, Province of Hesse Darmstadt, Germany, December 25th, 1801. When a young man he chose weaving as his trade and followed it for a number of years. In 1825 he emigrated to America and settled in Canada, choosing Berlin, Waterloo County, Ontario, as the place where he could most successfully carry on his trade. He had his shop at old Joseph Schneider's until he was married to one of Mr. Schneider's daughters, then they moved to near New Hamburg, Ontario, where he followed farming for many years. He was married, April 28th, 1833, to Mary, daughter of Joseph and Barbara (Eby) Schneider. She was born April 1st, 1808, and died at New Hamburg, Ontario, March 22nd, 1887. He died June 22nd, 1886. To them were born eight children, viz:

5033 II NAHRGANG, JOSEPH, was born July 26th, 1834. On December 22nd, 1857, he was married to Mary Ann Shantz who was born August 24th, 1834. They reside near New Hamburg, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them was born a family of nine children, namely: III Josiah, III Barbara (dead), III Ephraim, III Mary Ann, III Menno, III John, III Nancy, III Henry, and III Matilda (dead).

5034 II NAHRGANG, ELIZABETH, was born December 12th, 1836. On January 30th, 1854, she was married to Benjamin D. Shantz. They followed farming and resided near Wordsworth, Huron County, Mich., where he died January 17th, 1889, and she died June 4th, 1894. To them was born a family of twelve children, namely: III Nancy, III Christopher, III John (dead), III Mary, III Lydia (dead), III Allan,

III Isaac, III Isabella (dead), III Salome, III Caroline, III Minerva, and III Malinda (dead).

5035 II NAHRGANG, JOHN, was born February 15th, 1839. On March 21st, 1865, he was married to Mary Shantz who was born August 8th, 1841, and died May 27th, 1886. On October 20th, 1889, he was again married to Mary Cressman, widow of the late Moses Martin. She was born November 1st, 1839. Mr. Nahrgang resides in Wilmot Township, on lot No. 16, Bleams Road, Block A, where he is engaged in farming. On October 14th, 1872, he was ordained as deacon of the Mennonite body for the Geiger field of labor. To him and his first wife were born nine children, namely: III Oliver, III Lucinda,† III Lydia Ann, III Isaiah, III Ida, III Mary, III Joshua, III Lovina, and III Allan.

5036 II NAHRGANG, BARBARA, was born December 31st, 1841. On June 10th, 1863, she was married to Aaron Shantz who was born May 27th, 1839. They resided near Wilmot Township where she died June 21st, 1876. To them was born a family of eight children, namely: III Hannah, III Judith, III Presida, III Ezra (dead), III Maria, III Barbara, III Rebecca, and III Elizabeth.

5037 II NAHRGANG, ISAAC, was born June 9th, 1844. On June 4th, 1867, he was married to Catharine Bricker who was born January 3rd, 1845. They reside about a miles south of New Hamburg where he is engaged in farming. To them is born a family of four children, namely: III Alexander, III Urias, III Abraham, and III Matilda.

5038 II NAHRGANG, MARY, was born November 2nd, 1847. On March 10th, 1868, she was married to Daniel Shantz who was born January 4th, 1844. They reside near Haysville, Ontario, where he is

† Lucinda is both deaf and dumb and is married to James Buck of Elgin County. He is also deaf and dumb.

engaged in farming. To them is born a family of seven children, namely: III Norman, III Oziah, III Anna, III Ella, III Joseph, III Simeon, and III Clara.

5039 II NAHRGANG, ISABELLA, was born June 9th, 1850. On August 16th, 1870, she was married to Amos M. Shantz who was born June 15th, 1847. They resided in Wilmot Township where she died October 14th, 1871, leaving twin boys, namely: III Jeremiah and III Josiah.

5040 II NAHRGANG, SIMON, was born November 17th, 1852. On March 13th, 1877, he was married to Elizabeth Schmidt who was born October 3rd, 1853. They resided near New Hamburg where he died July 28th, 1894, leaving a family of three children, namely: III Caroline, III Julia, and III George.

OBERHOLTZER.

5041 I §OBERHOLTZER, JACOB, was the early settler of this family as near as can be ascertained. He resided in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, near Indian Creek. To him were born four children, namely: II Jacob, II Barbara, married to a Mr. Funk, II Ann, married to Matthias Stauffer, and II Elizabeth, married to Jacob Hackman.

5042 II OBERHOLTZER, JACOB,* the only son, was

§ As informed by the late Rev. Jacob Oberholtzer, the first Oberholtzer came from Switzerland about the year 1725.

* From Mrs. Jacob Oberholtzer.

ordained as a minister of the Mennonite Church and we find that in 1775† he was stationed on the Franconia field of labor. He was married to Esther Lederach. The dates of birth and death, together with names of children, save one whose name was John, were not received.

5043 III OBERHOLTZER,‡ JOHN, was married to Susannah Moyer. They resided in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where they had a family of several children, three of whom settled in Canada, viz:

5044 IV OBERHOLTZER, JACOB M., was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, March 30th, 1800. He came to Canada in 1826 and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. On January 9th, 1831, he was married to Hannah, daughter of Jacob and Salome (Graybill) Erb. She was born January 25th, 1813, and died November 12th, 1894. Soon after their marriage they moved two miles west of Berlin on their farm, then all forest, which was composed of part of lot No. 35, German Company's Tract. Here they resided some forty years, then he sold the farm and moved to Berlin where he and his aged wife spent the evening of their life in comfort and ease. When a young man he was ordained as a minister of the church of his choice, "The Mennonite," which body he served faithfully unto his end. He died January 14th, 1879. His family consisted of fourteen children, viz:

5045 V OBERHOLTZER, CATHARINE, was born September 24th, 1831, and died the same day.

5046 V OBERHOLTZER, JULIA ANN, was born August 18th, 1832, and died same day.

5047 V OBERHOLTZER, JOHN, was born July 20th, 1833. On October 20th, 1857, he was married to Anna Catharine Bucher who was born March 13th,

† From Cassel's "History of the Mennonites."
‡ From Rev. Jacob Oberholtzer.

1833. They resided in the town of Berlin where he died June 26th, 1895. He was an invalid for a number of years. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

5048 VI OBERHOLTZER, HANNAH, was born October 26th, 1858. She is married to Franklin Musselman. They reside in Berlin and have a family as follows, namely: VII Mabel, VII Almeda, VII Lula, VII Harvey, and VII Clara.

5049 VI OBERHOLTZER, ELIZABETH, was born January 22nd, 1860. She was married to Mahlon Armbrust who died a few years ago. They resided in Berlin where she died July 7th, 1895, leaving a family of three children, namely: VII Elsie, VII Addison, and VII Alpheus.

5050 VI OBERHOLTZER, JACOB, was born December 4th, 1861. He is married to Minerva Shoemaker. They have two children, namely: VII Lorne and VII Cora.

5051 VI OBERHOLTZER, CATHARINE, was born December 4th, 1863, and died April 6th, 1890. She was married to Allan Shoemaker and had a family of two children, namely: VII Alma and VII David, both died in infancy.

5052 VI OBERHOLTZER, CLEASON, was born January 8th, 1866. He is married to Mary Otto and resides in Berlin where he is engaged in manufacturing boots and shoes. His family consists of three children, namely: VII Florence May, VII Priscilla Mary, and VII Vernorman Henry.

5053 VI OBERHOLTZER, SUSANNAH, was born February 24th, 1868, and died October 25th, 1891. She was not married.

5054 VI OBERHOLTZER, CLARA, was born May 14th, 1870. She is unmarried and resides at home with her mother.

5055 VI OBERHOLTZER, HENRY, was born July 8th, 1872, and died April 2nd, 1890.

5056 VI OBERHOLTZER, GEORGE, the youngest in family, was born January 27th, 1875. He is engaged in manufacturing boots and shoes with the firm of Oberholtzer & Co.

5057 V OBERHOLTZER, ABRAHAM, was born November 30th, 1834. He is married to Sarah Erb who was born December 16th, 1840. They reside on a farm on the east bank of the Grand River, a little above the village of Doon. Several years ago he was ordained a deacon for the Mennonite Church, a position he well and worthily represents. His family consists of six children, namely: VI Clarissa Ann, VI Sarah Jane, VI Josiah, VI Angeline, VI Emmaline, and VI Bernice.

5058 VI OBERHOLTZER, CLARISSA ANN, the eldest, was married to Menno M. Musselman. They resided in Puslinch Township, Wellington County, where he died July 20th, 1895. They had a family of three children, namely: VII Flossie, VII Arthur, and VII Ethel.

5059 V OBERHOLTZER, SUSANNAH, was born September 17th, 1836, and died June 25th, 1840.

5060 V OBERHOLTZER, ISAAC, was born May 24th, 1838. He was married to Mary Wismer. They reside in Berlin where he died February 24th, 1887, leaving a family of five childen, namely: VI David

S., VI Lydia, VI Joseph, VI Mary Ann, and VI Isaac.

5061 VI OBERHOLTZER, DAVID S., an agent and traveller, resides in Berlin and is married to Minnie Stephan. His family consists of two children, namely: VII Maximilian and VII D. S. Edward.

5062 VI OBERHOLTZER, LYDIA, is married to Amos Willis. They reside in Berlin and have two children, namely: VII Ethel May and VII Rosetta.

5063 V OBERHOLTZER, JACOB E., was born January 24th, 1840, and resides in Elkhart, Indiana, where he is engaged in the book and stationery business. He is married to Clara VanCamp. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Mabel, married to Arthur C. Keene, VI Correne, and VI Alma.

5064 V OBERHOLTZER, SALOME, was born March 8th, 1842, and died January 23rd, 1858.

5065 V OBERHOLTZER, ELIZABETH, was born September 23rd, 1844, and was married to David S. Taylor. She died April 6th, 1889, leaving a family of ten children, namely: VI Mary Jane, VI Elizabeth A., VI Rosa B., VI Magdalena M., VI Hannah M., VI Stephen D., VI John A., VI E. Nora, VI Thomas C., and VI Minina F.

5066 V OBERHOLTZER, HANNAH, was born September 28th, 1846, and died October 30th, 1874. She was not married.

5067 V OBERHOLTZER, MARY ANN, was born October 19th, 1848, and died June 8th, 1849.

5068 V OBERHOLTZER, LYDIA, was born May 3rd,

1850. She is married to Chisholm Lundy. They reside in Carman, Manitoba. To them were born six children, namely: VI Catharine, married to a Mr. Dunn, VI Ola, VI Leon, and three whose names were not received.

5069 V OBERHOLTZER, MAGDALENA, was born July 26th, 1853, and died May 15th, 1892. She was married to David S. Taylor, but left no family.

5070 V OBERHOLTZER, HENRY E., the youngest in family, was born March 4th, 1855. He is married to Harriet Aldous and resides in Elkhart, Indiana, where he is engaged in building and contracting. His family consists of two children, namely: VI Herbert Ivan and VI Alma Aldous.

5071 IV OBERHOLTZER, ABRAHAM, son of John and Susannah (Moyer) Oberholtzer, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, January 17th, 1802. In 1826 he, in company with his brother Jacob and others, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. He was married to Rachel, daughter of Martin and Magdalena (Bear) Baumann (No. 553). She was born April 21st, 1801, and died November 28th, 1851. They resided at Bloomingdale, on the farm now possessed by Isaac E. Weber. He died February 24th, 1855, leaving a family of four children, viz:

5072 V OBERHOLTZER, SUSANNAH, was born March 16th, 1827. She was married to Henry Boehmer, merchant. They resided in Berlin where she died November 16th, 1890, leaving a family of six children, viz:

VI MALINDA is married to C. J. Nordhausen, a button manufacturer. They reside in Rochester, New York.

VI ABRAM O., a private banker, is married to Hannah Unger. They reside in Berlin.

VI CLARA is married to J. Appel, a merchant tailor. They reside in Berlin.

VI ELWIN O. is clerk in his father's store, Berlin. Unmarried.

VI WALTER O. is engaged in the shirt factory, Berlin. Unmarried.

VI ELMA, the youngest, died, aged three years and six months.

5073 V OBERHOLTZER, ELIZABETH, was born October 8th, 1831. She is married to Rev. Jacob Bowman. They reside in Berlin and have a family of five children, namely: VI Lucinda O., VI Rachel O., VI Abram O., VI Nelson O., and VI Nancy O. See Nos. 238 to 243.

5074 V OBERHOLTZER, OWEN, was born May 2nd, 1834. On January 24th, 1854, he was married to Alice Cook. They resided in Bloomingdale where he was engaged in business. He died July 26th, 1893, leaving a family of four children, viz:

5075 VI OBERHOLTZER, ABRAHAM C., was born March 12th, 1855. He is unmarried. At present he is engaged in the Bloomingdale cabinet factory of which business he is the proprietor.

5076 VI OBERHOLTZER, ANGELINE, was born April 26th, 1856. She is married to Harry Sheppard. They reside on the old "Henry Oberholtzer Farm" near Bloomingdale where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of four children, namely: VII Bulah, VII Lloyd, VII Florence, and VII Owen Ervine.

5077 VI OBERHOLTZER, ELIZABETH (Lillie), was born February 25th, 1858. She was married to Jonas B. Bingeman, a farmer. They reside near Bloomingdale and have a family of three children, namely: VII Gordon Joseph, VII Alice, and VII Irene. See No. 1059.

5078 VI OBERHOLTZER, RACHEL, was born March 19th, 1865. She is married to Henry Ward. They rside in Ayr, Ontario, where he is principal of the public school. They have one child named VII Alice.

5079 V OBERHOLTZER, AARON B., was born in 1837. He is married to Caroline Cook. They reside in Alarison, Michigan, where he is engaged in the mercantile business. Their family consists of one daughter, viz:

5080 VI OBERHOLTZER, CLARA, is married and resides in Lansing, Michigan.

5081 IV OBERHOLTZER, HENRY M., son of John and Susannah (Moyer) Oberholtzer, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, December 27th, 1807. He came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, on the farm now possessed by Harry Sheppard near Bloomingdale. He was married to Elizabeth Baumann who was born July 4th, 1810, and died December 29th, 1882. He died suddenly December 25th, 1876. To them was born one child, viz:

5082 V OBERHOLTZER, MAGDALENA, was born August 12th, 1834, and was married to Amos Weaver. She died April 12th, 1883, leaving no heirs.

PANNEBECKER.

The Pannebeckers† were of the first settlers of German origin who settled in Pennsylvania over two hundred years ago. We find them to have been a prominent family in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, as early as 1709.

5083 I PANNEBECKER, CORNELIUS, a native of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, was born December 8th, 1770. In April, 1792, he was married to Anna Dettweiler, sister to old Rudolph Dettweiler who resided near the Wanner Meeting House at Hespeler. She was born November 16th, 1775, and died October 27th, 1855. In 1810 they, in company with Christian Shantz and family, Jacob Shantz and wife, and others, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near the present village of Hespeler, on the farm now occupied by Peter Wier. Here they resided until their deaths. He died June 22nd, 1855. To them was born a family of thirteen children, viz:

5084 II PANNEBECKER, ELIZABETH, the eldest in family, was born July 16th, 1793. She was married to David Shantz. They resided near Berlin where she died of cancer, December 1st, 1863. She left no issue.

5085 II PANNEBECKER, HENRY, was born March 28th, 1795. He resided in Colborne Township, Huron County, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming. His family consisted of six children,

† To have a complete history of the Pannebecker family, write to Mr. Samuel W. Pennypacker, Philadelphia, Pa., and get the book, "Historical and Biographical Sketches of the Pannebeckers," edited by Pennypacker. It is well worth the money and one of the most complete works of its kind in existence.

namely: III Elizabeth, III John, III Nancy, III Samuel, III Henry, and III Joshua.

5086 II PANNEBECKER, ABRAM,‡ was born in Vincent Township, Chester County, Pennsylvania, September 13th, 1796. On November 16th, 1822, he was married to Sarah Clemens. They resided near Hespeler, on the farm now possessed by William Shaw. When old they left the farm and moved to Hespeler where he died June 30th, 1880, and she died May 24th, 1885. To them was born a family of eleven children, viz:

5087 III PANNEBECKER, MARY, was married to Daniel Rife who died April 29th, 1888. They resided in Hespeler. She is still living and has a family of seven children, namely: IV George William, IV Samuel, IV David, IV Sarah E., IV Isaac, IV Mary Jane, and IV Ephraim Edward. See David Rife's family.

5088 III PANNEBECKER, DAVID, one of our most successful farmers in the county, resided about one and one-half miles north-east of Hespeler for many years. In January, 1895, he left the farm and moved to Hespeler where he now lives retired in comfort and ease. He was first married to Catharine Wanner and after her decease to Leah Wanner. His family* is as follows, viz:

5089 IV PANNEBECKER, MARY, is married to Samuel Chambers, a farmer. They reside in Grey County, Ontario.

‡ Mr. Abram Pannebecker nearly met with his death in 1836 by the caving in of a well. About 10 a. m. he went into it for the purpose of cleaning it and immediately after going down the well caved in and thus burying him under the stones and rubbish. The alarm was given at once and the neighbors hurried together and commenced to make a speedy effort to rescue the buried man. After six hours diligent work he was rescued from his perilous condition alive, contrary to the expectation of his family, friends and neighbors, with only his nose broken and some slight bodily bruises. The well was seventeen feet deep.

* The first nine children of Mr. David Pannebecker's family were of first wife.

5090 IV PANNEBECKER, SARAH, is married to Andrew Lennox, a farmer. They reside in Grey County, Ontario.

5091 IV PANNEBECKER, NANCY, is married to Jacob Cober, a real estate agent. They reside in Hespeler, Ontario.

5092 IV PANNEBECKER, DANIEL, died in infancy.

5093 IV PANNEBECKER, AARON, is married to Annie Patton. They reside in Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged in a well paying grocery business.

5094 IV PANNEBECKER, JOEL, is married to Mary L. Eaton. They reside near Hespeler where he is engaged in farming.

5095 IV PANNEBECKER, LEVI, was first married to Lizzie Whitfield and after her decease to Veronica Holm. He is engaged in farming and resides near Hespeler.

5096 IV PANNEBECKER, SUSANNAH, is unmarried and has her home with her sister, Catharine, who resides in Hespeler.

5097 IV PANNEBECKER, CATHARINE, was married to Cyrus Bechtel. They resided in Galt where he died. She now resides in Hespeler.

5098 IV PANNEBECKER, EPHRAIM, was first married to Minerva Pannebecker and after her decease to Magdalena Pannebecker. They reside in Puslinch Township, near Hespeler where he is engaged in farming.

5099 IV PANNEBECKER, ARNOLD, is married to Winnie Haywood. They reside in Hespeler where he is engaged as book-keeper by R. Forbes & Co., woollen manufacturers.

5100 IV PANNEBECKER, ABRAM, is married to Grace Wilkins. They reside at Hespeler where he is engaged as clerk in his brother's grocery.

5101 IV PANNEBECKER, REBECCA, died in infancy.

5102 IV PANNEBECKER, ELIZABETH, is unmarried and resides at home with her parents.

5103 IV PANNEBECKER, DAVID, is engaged as assistant book-keeper in same office as his brother, Arnold. He is unmarried.

5104 IV PANNEBECKER, CORNELIUS, the youngest in the family, is home and at present attends school, preparing himself for some profession.

5105 III PANNEBECKER, LEWIS, was married to Rebecca Kribbs and after her decease to Christina Robinson. He resides in Chessening County, Michigan, where he followed farming many years. His family consists of two children, namely: IV George and IV Rebecca.

5106 III PANNEBECKER, ELIZABETH, is married to Lewis Kribbs, contractor and builder, and also miller. They reside in Hespeler. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Sarah Ann, IV Henry, IV Lewis, IV George, IV Jennie, IV Lizzie, and IV William.

5107 III PANNEBECKER, EPHRAIM, is married to Mary Kribbs. They reside in Chessening County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

5108 III PANNEBECKER, SARAH, is married to George Rife, a sewing machine agent. They reside in Walkerton, Bruce County, Ontario.

5109 III PANNEBECKER, ISAAC, was married to Martha Arnold. He resides in Tennessee, U. S., where he is an engine driver.

5110 III PANNEBECKER, NANCY, is married to John Mickleborough. They reside in Brooklyn, New York, where he is engaged as professor in one of the higher schools.

5111 III PANNEBECKER, HANNAH, is married to Albert Redenhauer. They reside in Cincinnati, Ohio.

5112 III PANNEBECKER, REBECCA, is married to Archibald Brydon. They reside at Little Current, Manitoulin Island, where he is engaged in the lumber business.

5113 III PANNEBECKER, EDWARD, the youngest of Abram and Sarah (Clemens) Pannebecker's family, is married to Rosena Papist. They reside at Walkerville, Ontario, where he is foreman in the basket works.

5114 II PANNEBECKER, MATTHIAS, was born July 23rd, 1798. Died in infancy.

5115 II PANNEBECKER, JACOB, was born October 10th, 1799. Died in infancy.

5116 II PANNEBECKER, BARBARA, was born May 24th, 1801. She was married to Moses Eby. They resided near Berlin. She died January 19th, 1842. See Nos. 2544 to 2580.

5117 II PANNEBECKER, JOHN, was born October 13th, 1803. He was married to Mary Smith. They resided in Hespeler where they both died. To them were born five children, namely: III John, III

Ann, III James, III William (dead), and III Joseph.

5118 II PANNEBECKER, MARGARET; was born October 12th, 1805, and died March 28th, 1880. She was married, in 1822, to John Rosenberger and resided north of Preston. To them were born twelve children, namely: III Magdalena, III Joseph, III Sarah, III Rachel, III Nancy (dead), III Elizabeth, III Cyrus (dead), III Cyrus (No. 2.) (dead), III Mary (dead), III John, III Annie (dead), and III George (dead). See John Rosenberger's family.

5119 II PANNEBECKER, HANNAH, was born December 13th, 1806. She was married to Jacob Rosenberger. They reside at Roseville, Ontario, where she died in October, 1848, leaving one son named III Jacob.

5120 II PANNEBECKER, SAMUEL, was born April 15th, 1810. Died in infancy.

5121 II PANNEBECKER, ANNA, was born April 23rd, 1812, and died near Preston, Ontario, February 16th, 1875. She was married to Rev. John Bear. See Nos. 597 to 610.

5122 II PANNEBECKER, MAGDALENA, was born May 24th, 1814. She died unmarried, aged about twenty-two years.

5123 II PANNEBECKER, CORNELIUS, the youngest son of Cornelius and Anna (Dettweiler) Pannebecker, was born near Hespeler, Ontario, March 18th, 1817. He was married to Veronica Witmer and resided near Hespeler on the farm now in possession of their son, Elias, where they both died. His death took place, March 30th, 1875. To them were born four children, viz:

5124 III PANNEBECKER, ELIAS, was born in Feb-

ruary, 1838. He is married to Sallie Cober and resides on his father's old homestead, near Hespeler where he is engaged in farming. To them were born five children, namely: IV Magdalena, IV Minerva (dead), IV Alfred, IV Nancy, and IV Annie.

5125 III PANNEBECKER, ESTHER, was born in 1840 and was married to Daniel Holm. She died some years ago, leaving one son named IV Cyrus.

5126 III PANNEBECKER, ANNA, was born in 1842. She is married to Daniel Holm. They reside on lot No. 6, Concession 3, Puslinch Township, Wellington County, near Hespeler. Their family consists of eight children, namely: IV Jeremiah (dead), IV Isaiah, IV Veronica, IV Elias, IV Agnes, IV Archibald, IV Angeline, and IV Walter.

5127 III PANNEBECKER, SAMUEL, was born November 10th, 1844. He is married to Martha Cober. They reside on lot No. 2, 3rd Concession, Puslinch Township, Wellington County, near Hespeler, Ontario. To them were born six children, namely: IV Nelson, residing in Petoskey, Michigan, IV Oliver, residing in Toronto, Ontario, where he is engaged as a street car driver, IV Gilbert, a tinsmith, residing in Guelph, IV Cornelia, IV Arthur, and IV Della, the three younger, are at home on the farm, assisting their parents in the many duties connected with farm life.

QUICKFALL.

The Quickfalls of this and other counties of Ontario are all descendants of old I Franklin and Barbara Quickfall who emigrated to America and settled in New York State where they resided for many years. One of their sons, named II Thomas, was born September 13th, 1799. He was married to Hannah Martinson who was born November 14th, 1803, and died June 18th, 1889. In 1841 they (Thomas and his wife) with their family and his aged parents moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, on the old "Moxley Farm" now known as the "Evergreen Farm," a little north-east of the town of Waterloo. Here they resided until their deaths. He died February 10th, 1868. To them were born several children, but the name of only one of their sons has been received, viz:

5128 III QUICKFALL, RICHARD M., was born in New York State, March 16th, 1833. When eight years of age his parents moved to Canada and settled on the farm now possessed by his son, IV Allan E., where he was raised. On May 27th, 1862, he was married to Leah Groff who was born August 17th, 1839. Soon after his marriage he took possession of the old homestead which he greatly improved in appearance and value in erecting first-class buildings thereon and in planting a great variety of both fruit and ornamental trees. Here he resided until 1889 when he moved on the farm he now possesses about a mile north of Bridgeport. Mr. Quickfall has held various positions such as trustee, assessor, councillor and at present he holds the position of first deputy Reeve for Waterloo Township. His family consisted of six children, viz:

5129 IV QUICKFALL, EMMA MAY, was born May 13th, 1863. She was married to John McNally. They resided at Blair where she died October 6th, 1889, leaving one daughter named V Olive who is also dead.

5130 IV QUICKFALL, ALLAN EDWIN, was born January 8th, 1865. He is married to Sarah Brubacher and resides on the "Evergreen Farm" possessed by his father until 1889. His family consists of three children, namely: V George, V Nora, and V Harry.

5131 IV QUICKFALL, CHARLES ALLAN, was born May 12th, 1867. He is married to Magdalena Betzner and resides on part of the old "Evergreen Farm" where he is engaged in manufacturing brick. His family consists of five children, namely: V Clarke Jay (dead), V Lillie May, V Olive Meta, V Stella and V Grace (twins).

5132 IV QUICKFALL, GEORGE THOMAS, was born June 11th, 1869, and died October 7th, 1883.

5133 IV QUICKFALL, ANNIE LAURA, was born March 9th, 1874, and died January 21st, 1895.

5134 IV QUICKFALL, ALBERT CLARKE, was born January 17th, 1878. He is home working on the farm.

REICHERT.

The Reicherts† of Wilmot Township are descendants of Daniel Reichert* who emigrated to America in 1753 and settled in Lancaster County, Pennsyl-

† Tradition has it that Daniel and Jacob Reichert in coming to America were on board a vessel that was seized by pirates and the crew and passengers were taken to Turkey where they were landed on some barren coast. In time of six months they were back to London, England, where they again set sail for America and landed in safety in 1753. They belonged to the Moravian Brethren in Switzerland from which place they emigrated to America.

* Tradition has it that his wife was a Susanna Kindig.

vania, where he died after his family was of age. We cannot ascertain at so late a date the names of all of the old progenitor's family, but the names of three of the children were II Mary, II John, and II Christian.

5135 II REICHERT, MARY,‡ was born in 1769. In 1795 she was married to Frederick Bock who was born February 21st, 1769. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they had a family of six children, namely: III Jacob, III John, III Daniel, III David, III Samuel and III Catharine. See Nos. 1129 to 1145.

5136 II REICHERT, JOHN, was born in 1771. In 1800 he and his brother, Christian, moved to Canada. He settled in Markham Township, York County, about thirty miles north of Toronto, on what is now called Yonge Street. No information received in regard to his family and descendants.

5137 II REICHERT, CHRISTIAN, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 17th, 1773. In 1798 he was married to Barbara, youngest daughter of Samuel and Maria (Detweiler) Betzner. She was born July 29th, 1778, and died September 19th, 1874. He died May 8th, 1852. In 1800 he came to Canada and settled at Freeport, Waterloo County, Ontario, where he died May 8th, 1852. His family consisted of eight children, namely:

5138 III REICHERT, SAMUEL, the eldest in family, was born in February, 1800, and died in September, 1831. He was unmarried.

5139 III REICHERT, POLLY, was born December 15th, 1802, and died September 7th, 1880. She was never married.

‡ Mary and her husband never resided in Canada.

5140 III REICHERT, JACOB, was born in 1804. He was first married to Sophia Fordney and after her decease to Elizabeth Gingerich. They resided in Michigan where he was engaged in farming. His death occurred September 11th, 1882. His family consisted of several children, all of whom reside in Michigan save two, namely: IV John, who is married to Mary Witmer and resides near Fordwich, Huron County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming, and IV Susannah who is married to Frederick Gettkie, a farmer, and also resides near Fordwich, Huron County, Ontario.

5141 III REICHERT, DANIEL, was born in 1806. He was married to Elizabeth Groh who was born September 6th, 1812, and died August 29th, 1882. They resided in Wilmot Township, near New Dundee, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming. At present he has his home with his daughter, Mrs. Main who resides at Williamsburg. Their family consisted of ten children, viz:

5142 IV REICHERT, JOHN, died in infancy.

5143 IV REICHERT, SUSANNAH, was married to John Livergood, a farmer. They reside at Greenwood, Michigan, and have three children, namely: V Joseph, V Mary, and V George.

5144 IV REICHERT, CHRISTIAN, is married to Matilda Marschon. They reside at Princeton, Kentucky, U. S., where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: V Elizabeth, V Ellen, V Levi, and V Mary.

5145 IV REICHERT, BARBARA, is married to John F. Becker, a farmer and carpenter. They reside near New Dundee, Ontario. Their family is as

follows, namely: V Matilda, V Simon, V Stephen, V Susannah, V Christian, V Titus, V Isaac, V Allan, V Emeline, and V Adline.

5146 IV REICHERT, HANNAH, is married to Moses Martin, a farmer. They reside at Clarence Centre, New York. Their family is as follows, namely: V Oliver, V Jonas, V Amanda, and V Albert.

5147 IV REICHERT, LEVI, is married to Mena Spreman. They reside at Elison Bay, Wisconsin, where he is engaged in farming. Their children are V Albert, V Edward, V Matilda, V Norman, V Herman, V Mary, and V Malinda.

5148 IV REICHERT, GEORGE, was married to Julia Ann Foreman. They resided near Hespeler, Ontario, where he died November 12th, 1887. His family consisted of three children, namely: V Dinah, V Ephraim (dead), and V Susannah.

5149 IV REICHERT, MARY, is married to Abraham Shenk. They reside at Williamsville, New York, and have one child named V Mary.

5150 IV REICHERT, ELIZABETH, is married to Charles Baumler. They reside in Buffalo, New York, where he is engaged as a malster. To them are born four children, namely: V William, V Clarence, V Henry, and V Oscar (dead).

5151 IV REICHERT, JUDITH, is married to Henry Main, a wage-earner. They reside at Williamsburg, about three miles south-west of Berlin. To them are born four children, namely: V Arthur (dead), V Albert, V Allan, and V Mary.

5152 III REICHERT, ELIZABETH, was born in 1808. She was married to John W. Wanner who was

born March 17th, 1801, and died September 28th, 1865. They resided on farm now in possession of James T. Phin, near Hespeler, Ontario. They had a family of seven children, namely: IV Christian, IV Levi, IV Samuel, IV Hannah, IV Veronica, IV John, and IV Joel. See John W. Wanner's family.

5153 III REICHERT, CATHARINE, was born May 15th, 1811. On April 30th, 1844, she was married to John Master. They resided in Wilmot Township, west of New Dundee, many years. At present they reside in Berlin and have their home with his son, Isaac. They have no family.

5154 III REICHERT, CHRISTIAN, was born October 26th, 1815. He was married to Rebecca Groh who was born November 25th, 1820, and died July 5th, 1884. They resided in Wilmot Township, a little north-west of New Dundee, where he was engaged in farming. He died October 30th, 1889, leaving no family.

5155 III REICHERT, DAVID, was born in 1817 and died at Freeport in 1818, aged 9 months and several days.

REIST.

5156 I REIST, PETER, the pioneer of this numerous family, was born in Switzerland about the year 1700. During the early days of his boyhood, religious persecutions were carried on most severely against all nonconformists. When twenty years of age he fled to the Palatinate for shelter. Here he remained

three years, working at his trade (linen weaving). While at the Palatinate he formed an acquaintance with Anna Clara Boyer whom he married in 1723. Soon after their marriage they emigrated to America and settled in Penn Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he built for himself and wife a small cabin near Kissel Hill, but the land on which it was built was claimed by one named Witmer. He relinquished possession of this and went about two miles north-west where he took possession of six hundred acres of land; two hundred acres of this tract are still in possession of John and Jacob Reist, great-great-grandsons of the first old settler. Mr. Reist's family consisted of seven children, viz:

5157 II REIST, PETER, was born in 1726. He resided in Millersville, Lebanon County, Pennsylvania, where his descendants are to be found.

5158 II REIST, JOHN, was born in 1728. He was married to Elizabeth Langenecker. To them were born eight children, namely: III John was born in 1758. His descendants reside in York State, near Buffalo. III Peter was born in 1761. His descendants are in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. III Abraham was born in 1764. His descendants are in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. III Christian was born in 1770. He was married to Barbara Hershey. Their descendants are in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. The names of the four younger children were not received.

5159 II REIST, CHRISTIAN, was born in 1730. He was married but died, leaving no heirs.

5160 II REIST, JACOB, was born in 1732. He was killed on Braddock's field near Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 9th, 1755.

5161 II REIST, ANN, was born in 1734. Nothing known of her descendants.

5162 II REIST, MAGDALENA, was born in 1735. She left no heirs.

5163 II REIST, ABRAHAM, the youngest son of I Peter and Anna Reist, was born in 1737. His family consists of three sons, namely: III John, III Abraham, and III Christian. The descendants of the two younger sons are residents of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, while those of III John are nearly all to be found in Canada. We shall now follow III John's family.

5164 III REIST, JOHN, was born July 18th, 1763. On December 28th, 1790, he was married to Susannah Huber who was born May 21st, 1771, and died September 15th, 1850. In May, 1826, they with their large family moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near the village of Bridgeport, on the farm now possessed by John Stroh. Here they resided for nearly one year when they purchased the farm now possessed by his grandson, Isaac Reist, near Kossuth, Ontario, where he died December 2nd, 1843. To them were born twelve children, all of whom settled in this county save Abraham who remained in Penn Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where his descendants still reside.

5165 IV REIST, ABRAHAM, was born September 17th, 1791. He was married to Maria Hostetler. To them were born seven children, namely: V Abraham, V John, V Jacob, V Maria, V Nancy, V Sarah, and V Catharine.

5166 IV REIST, JOHN, was born February 7th, 1793. He and his brother, Samuel, and his sister, Barbara, came to Canada in 1821. While assisting in erecting a bridge across the Conestogo near Mr. Scheifley's, he was accidentally drowned March 29th, 1822. He was not married.

5167 IV REIST, SAMUEL, was born January 1st, 1795.

He was married to Salome, daughter of Jacob and Salome (Graybill) Erb. She was born August 4th, 1808, and died in Berlin, January 15th, 1888. He died on his farm in Woolwich Township, near St. Jacobs, January 20th, 1883. To them was born a family of seven children, viz:

5168 V REIST, JOHN E., the eldest, was married to Sophia Wagner. They reside in Indiana, U. S., where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of five children, namely: VI Samuel (dead), VI Sarah, VI Nancy, VI Lydia, and VI Veronica.

5169 V REIST, SAMUEL, was born January 30th, 1825. He was married, October 10th, 1848, by Bishop Benjamin Eby, to Magdalena, daughter of John and Anna (Hackman) Gingerich. They reside on south half of lot No. 87, German Company's Tract, of Woolwich Township, one mile south of Elmira. To them were born six children, viz:

5170 VI REIST, MENNO, was born February 7th, 1850. On October 5th, 1875, he was married to Mary Martin. He died December 10th, 1881, leaving one daughter named VII Annie. She was born June 5th, 1878.

5171 VI REIST, MOSES, second son, was born January 25th, 1854. On March 5th, 1878, he was married to Esther Baumann. They reside on a farm one mile north of Elmira. Their family consists of five children, namely: VII Daniel, VII Elias (dead), VII Moses, VII Joseph, and VII Leah.

5172 VI REIST, AMANDA, the eldest daughter, was born November 24th, 1858. On April 27th, 1886, she was married to Josiah M. Eby. They reside about a mile west of Elmira and have a family of three

sons, namely: VII Menno, VII Moses, and VII Samuel.

5173 VI REIST, LEAH, the second daughter, was born July 31st, 1861. On February 14th, 1882, she was married to Elias Martin. They reside in Peel Township, Wellington County. Their children are VII Moses, VII Samuel, VII Magdalena (dead), VII Esther, and VII Leah.

5174 VI REIST, MAGDALENA, the third daughter, was born October 6th, 1865. On May 19th, 1891, she was married to Solomon Reist. They reside on her father's farm one mile south of Elmira and have one son named VII Noah.

5175 VI REIST, REBECCA, the youngest daughter, was born October 24th, 1870. She is not married and resides with her parents.

5176 V REIST, JACOB, the third son of Samuel and Salome (Erb) Reist, was born June 11th, 1826. On January 2nd, 1857, he was married to Rachel, daughter of Louis and Mary Ann (Heller) Haeberle. She was born October 16th, 1835. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm where they still reside, lot No. 98, German Company's Tract, about four miles north-west of Elmira. They have a family of six children, viz:

5177 VI REIST, SIMON, the eldest son of Jacob Reist, was born September 23rd, 1857. He is married to Wilhelmine Kalbfleisch. He is a farmer and resides in Peel Township, one mile north of Glenallan. They have had a family of four children, namely: VII Henry (dead), VII Albert, VII Ira (dead), and VII Norman.

5178 VI REIST, MARY ANN, the eldest daughter, was born March 29th, 1860. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

5179 VI REIST, RACHEL, the second daughter, was born August 17th, 1862. She is married to William Rudy. They reside on the Woolwich and Waterloo townline, near the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. Their family consists of two children, VII Mary Etta and VII Jacob.

5180 VI REIST, SAMUEL, the second son, was born November 23rd, 1865. He is married to Sarah Brox and resides on a large farm near Hartley, Osborne County, Iowa. They have three children named VII Anson Jacob, VII Maude, and VII Addison.

5181 VI REIST, JACOB, the third son, was born April 11th, 1872. He is not married and is home with his father, assisting him to manage the large farm.

5182 VI REIST, SARAH ANN, the youngest daughter of Jacob and Rachel Reist, was born June 11th, 1874. She is home with her parents and is not married.

5183 V REIST, ABRAHAM, the fourth son of Samuel and Salome (Erb) Reist, is married to Magdalena Brubacher. They reside in May City, Iowa. Their family is as follows: VI Magdalena, VI Leah, VI Elizabeth, VI Mary, VI Jonas, VI Elias, VI Salome, and VI Fannie.

5184 V REIST, BENJAMIN, the fifth son, was born December 15th, 1830. He is a carpenter by trade and at present resides at Goshen, Indiana. He is married to Sarah, daughter of George Eby. She was born April 24th, 1834. Their family consisted of eight children, viz;

5185 VI REIST, MARY ANN, was born January 18th, 1853. She is married to William Wickes and has a family of three children.

5186 VI REIST, SOLOMON B., born April 20th, 1854.

5187 VI REIST, GEORGE H., born November 17, 1856.

5188 VI REIST, ELIZABETH, was born December 6th, 1858. She is married to Amos Shugars. They have a large family.

5189 VI REIST, SAMUEL M., born March 22nd, 1862.

5190 VI REIST, LAURA E. G., was born March 25th, 1864, and died January 30th, 1884. She was married to William Nutting. They had one child.

5191 VI REIST, DANIEL, born May 11th, 1867, died April 30th, 1887.

5192 VI REIST, CAROLINE, was born June 20th, 1870. She is married to Henry G. Krogel. They have a small family.

5193 V REIST, DAVID, the youngest son of Samuel and Salome (Erb) Reist, died in infancy.

5194 V REIST, SARAH ANN, the youngest daughter of Samuel and Salome (Erb) Reist, is married to Philip Briding. They reside in Goshen, Indiana. The names of their children are as follows: VI Lucy, VI Hannah, VI Charles, VI John, VI Isaac, VI Hiram, VI Caroline, and VI Horace.

5195 IV REIST, CHRISTIAN, was born in Penn Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, November 13th, 1796. He came to Canada in 1826 and settled on a farm two miles east of Breslau where he died February 20th, 1875. He was married twice, first to Nancy Strieger, March 16th, 1830. She was born

December 8th, 1797, and died in October, 1845. After her decease he was again married to Christina Eva Frœgel, October 17th, 1848. She was born September 15th, 1815, and at present resides with her daughter, Mrs. Kurtz, at Shantz Station, about three miles east of Breslau. With the first wife there were two children, viz:

5196 V REIST, HENRY, son of Christian and Nancy (Strieger) Reist, was born July 18th, 1831. He resides in Clinton County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. He was first married to Susanna, daughter of Martin and Susannah (Ries) Schiedel. She was born January 7th, 1830, and died in 1871. After her decease he was married to Sarah Ann Davenport. There are children of both wives but their names were not received.

5197 V REIST, ANNA, the youngest daughter of Christian Reist and his first wife, was born May 26th, 1837. She is married to John Y. Dippel. They reside on the old "Rev. Abram C. Weber Farm" situated at the west end of the Toll Bridge opposite Freeport. Have no family.

5198 V REIST, MENNO F., the eldest child of Christian Reist and his second wife, Christina Eva Frögel, was born February 4th, 1850. He is unmarried and resides with his mother and sister at Shantz Station.

5199 V REIST, MARY ANN, the eldest daughter of second wife, was born March 8th, 1852, and died in April, 1856.

5200 V REIST, CHRISTIAN, the second son, was born December 19th, 1853. He is married to Christina Kramp and resides at Shantz Station where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of two children, namely: VI John and VI Elizabeth.

5201 V REIST, WENDEL, the third son, was born November 27th, 1856. He is married to Caroline Lavitzka. They reside in Hespeler where he is engaged in the woollen mills. Their family consisted of four children, namely: VI Christian, VI Sarah Ann, VI Henry, and VI Angeline (dead).

5202 V REIST, SUSANNAH, the youngest daughter, was born August 15th, 1858. She was married to Philip Kurtz who died September 2nd, 1884. They resided on the old "Stafford Farm" now owned by Rev. Amos Eby, where he died. The widow has her home with her mother who resides at Shantz Station. She has had a family of three children, namely: VI Malinda (dead), VI Otto, and VI John William.

5203 IV REIST, SUSANNAH, the fifth member of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, January 4th, 1799. She was married to Henry Ernst who was born November 24th, 1803, and died October 20th, 1878. She died March 3rd, 1873. They had a family of seven children, namely: V John, V Henry, V Joseph, V Jacob, V David, V Nancy, and V Samuel. See Nos. 2956 to 2968.

5204 IV REIST, BARBARA, the sixth member of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born November 15th, 1801. In 1821 she came to Canada with her brothers, John and Samuel. In October, 1824, she was married to Rev. Ludwig Koch who was born July 19th, 1801, and died September 15th, 1889. She died August 19th, 1890. They resided about one mile west of Conestogo, in Woolwich Township. Their family consisted of eight children, namely: V Susannah, V Elizabeth, V Barbara, V Mary, V Anna, V David, V John, and V Joseph. See Rev. Ludwig Koch's family.

5205 IV REIST, ELIZABETH, the seventh member of the family, was born February 12th, 1803. She was first married to John Bretz and after his decease to David Scheirich who was born December 24th, 1790, and died December 15th, 1862. She died July 22nd, 1876. To her and her first husband were born two children named V Maria and V Susannah, and with Mr. Scheirich she had four children, namely: V David, V Joseph, V Abraham, and V Elizabeth.

5206 IV REIST, DAVID, the eighth member of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, January 21st, 1805. He came to Canada with his parents in 1826 and settled on the farm now possessed by Henry Stroh near Bridgeport, Ontario. Here they remained only one year, thence they moved on the farm now possessed by Joseph Reist. On January 10th, 1830, he was married to Mary, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Wanner) Mosser. She was born November 9th, 1812, and died near Kossuth, September 3rd, 1866. He is still living and enjoying good health for a man of such an age. He has his home with his son-in-law, Daniel S. Snyder, of Woolwich Township. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm lately owned by Carl Zuber, near New Germany, Ontario. Here they resided until the year 1842, then they moved on a farm near Kossuth, now in possession of his son, Peter. Here they resided until her death in 1866. Since then he has had his home with his children. Their family consisted of eleven children, viz:

5207 V REIST, JOHN, the eldest son in the family, was born March 12th, 1831. He was first married to Susannah Wanner who died September 12th, 1860. After her decease he was married to Mary Wanner, a sister to his first wife. They reside on a farm in the township of Woolwich, about three miles north of Elmira. Of the first wife there were four children, namely: VI Joel, VI George, VI David, and VI Daniel (dead), and of the second wife there are nine children, namely: VI Solomon, VI Susannah, VI John, VI Mary, VI Noah, VI Sarah, VI Ephraim, VI Catharine, and VI Matilda.

5208 V REIST, PETER, the second son in the family, was born August 3rd, 1832. On September 12th, 1852, he was married to Mary, daughter of Isaac Y. and Catharine (Clemens) Shantz. She was born May 16th, 1834. They reside on his father's old homestead, being composed of lot No. 89, German Company's Tract, Waterloo County. Their post office is Kossuth, Ontario. He is an ordained deacon of the Mennonite body. Their family consisted of seven children but only one of whom is living. Their family is as follows:

5209 VI REIST, ISAAC, was born May 19th, 1853, and died August 23rd, 1880. He was married to Leah Wildfong and had a family of two children named VII Norman and VII Rosa (dead).

5210 VI REIST, MARY ANN, was born August 25th, 1855, and died July 4th, 1857.

5211 VI REIST, AMOS, was born January 30th, 1857, and died August 25th, 1875.

5212 VI REIST, CATHARINE, was born November 20th, 1858, and died December 3rd, 1880.

5213 VI REIST, DAVID, was born March 27th, 1860, and died September 5th, 1879.

5214 VI REIST, PETER, was born January 31st, 1862, and died February 3rd, 1875.

5215 VI REIST, OWEN, was born February 4th, 1866. He is married to Ellen, daughter of Samuel Bear. They reside at home with his father. Their family consists of one son named VII Levi Stanley.

5216 V REIST, MOSES, the third son of David and Mary (Mosser) Reist, was born January 18th, 1834. He is a farmer and owns a beautiful farm a little south-west of Shantz Station. He is married to Mary Shantz, a sister to his brother's (Peter) wife. She was born April 7th, 1838, and died March

22nd, 1875. They have had a family of eight children, namely: VI Mary Ann, married to Alexander Stauffer, VI Alexander (dead), VI Esther, married to Josiah Nahrgang, VI Leah, married to David Gimble, VI Isaac (dead), VI Sarah, married to Levi Snyder, VI David (dead), and VI Catharine, married to Morris May.

5217 V REIST, DANIEL, the fourth son of David and Mary Reist, was born October 17th, 1835, and died March 29th, 1836.

5218 V REIST, HENRY, the fifth son of David and Mary Reist, was born February 1st, 1837. He was married to Sophia Weiman. They resided in Bloomingdale where she died in April, 1894. Their family consisted of four children, namely: VI John, VI Sophia, VI Solomon, and VI Mary (dead).

5219 V REIST, DAVID, the sixth son of David and Mary Reist, was born December 25th, 1838, and died August 16th, 1840.

5220 V REIST, MARY, the eldest daughter of David and Mary Reist, was born December 26th, 1840. On November 4th, 1860, she was married to Daniel S., son of Benjamin and Catharine (Saltzberger) Snyder. See Daniel S. Snyder's family.

5221 V REIST, SUSANNAH, the second daughter of David and Mary (Mosser) Reist, was born July 23rd, 1843. On December 10th, 1867, she was married to Moses S., son of Benjamin and Catharine (Saltzberger) Snyder. See Moses S. Snyder's family.

5222 V REIST, NOAH, the seventh son of David and and Mary (Mosser) Reist, was born December 19th, 1845. He is unmarried and has his home with his brother-in-law, Moses S. Snyder.

5223 V REIST, LYDIA, the youngest daughter of

David and Mary (Mosser) Reist, was born January 20th, 1848, and died March 14th, 1881. She was married to Franklin Snyder and died March 14th, 1881. See Franklin Snyder's family.

5224 V REIST, SOLOMON, the youngest son of David and Mary (Mosser) Reist, was born March 6th, 1853. On May 7th, 1882, he was married to Isabella, daughter of Jacob S. and Magdalena (Snyder) Snyder. She was born February 6th, 1859. Some time during the year 1880 he commenced teaching in our public schools and taught very successfully until November, 1893, when he, owing to poor health, was obliged to resign his position as principal of the Bridgeport public school. He resides about a mile from the town of Berlin where he is now engaged in gardening. His family consisted of four children, viz:

5225 VI REIST, IVAN ERIC, was born June 6th, 1884, and died December 31st, 1891.

5226 VI REIST, ELENOR HILDA, born July 30, 1886.

5227 VI REIST, FLORENCE MAY, born Jan. 20, 1889.

5228 VI REIST, ENDORE RAY, born Sep. 6th, 1891.

5229 IV REIST, ANNA, the ninth member of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born April 24th, 1807. On September 14th, 1828, she was married to Jacob Witmer. They resided on a farm near Preston, Ontario, where she died March 4th, 1888. See Jacob Witmer's family.

5230 IV REIST, JOSEPH, the tenth member of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born near Lititz, in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, July 12th, 1809. In the beginning of May, 1826, he, in company with his parents and their family, David Martin and family, Jacob Latschaw and family, Emanuel Stauffer and family, and Henry Ernst and family, left Pennsylvania and moved to Canada. They

arrived at Berlin, at Rev. Benjamin Eby's place, on May 26th of the same year. His parents located on the farm now owned by Henry Stroh, near Bridgeport, where they resided until March, 1827, when they took up lot No. 102, German Company's Tract, near where now Kossuth is. Here they resided until their deaths. On April 17th, 1838, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Gloth and Elizabeth (Miller) Miller. She was born December 17th, 1823, and died April 25th, 1886. After their marriage he took possession of his father's farm and has resided thereon ever since. They had a family of eleven children, of whom the greater number died in infancy. Their names are as follows:

5231 V REIST, SUSAN, was born August 29th, 1839. On April 30th, 1865, she was married to Theodore W. Eby who died January 31st, 1873, and after his decease she was again married to Daniel Hagey in 1878. They reside in Blandford Township, Oxford County, near Bright, Ontario. Their family consists of one daughter named VI Martha.

5232 V REIST ISAAC, was born October 1st, 1841. On June 13th, 1867, he was married to Mary Steen who was born August 20th, 1841. They reside on his father's farm at Kossuth. Their family consists of three children, viz:

5233 VI REIST, THEODORE, was born July 3rd, 1868. He is married to Lucinda Rosenberger. They reside on the farm formerly owned by Jacob Heinsman. Their family consists of three children, namely: VII Wilmer, VII Mabel, and VII Alton.

5234 VI REIST, GIDEON, was born October 11th, 1869. He is married to Nancy Tohman. They reside with his father on the old homestead.

5235 VI REIST, PHIDELLA, was born August 8th, 1871. On January 2nd, 1894, she was married to

Christian Rosenberger. They reside in Wilmot Township, nearly three miles west of New Dundee, on the farm where formerly the Rev. Christian Shantz resided.

5236 V REIST, JOSEPH, was born August 31st, 1843. He is married to Magdalena Shoemaker. They possess a beautiful farm in Normanby Township, Grey County, near Alsfeldt P. O., where they reside. Their family consists of one son named VI Allan.

5237 V REIST, ELIZABETH, was born November 18th, 1845, and died August 27th, 1847.

5238 V REIST, JACOB, was born November 7th, 1847. He was married to Catharine Zeller who died November 9th, 1892. He resides on a farm situated on the west side of the Grand River, near the Woolwich boundary. His family consists of two sons, namely: VI George Allan and VI Philip Alexander.

5239 V REIST, CATHARINE, was born April 13th, 1850, and died January 14th, 1853.

5240 V REIST, ELIAS, was born November 30th, 1852 and died March 28th, 1865.

5241 V REIST, MARY ANN, was born January 16th, 1856, and died March 12th, 1858.

5242 V REIST, ABRAHAM, was born January 16th, 1859, and died November 27th, 1864.

5243 V REIST, SARAH ANN, was born March 17th, 1861, and died November 12th, 1864.

5244 V REIST, BENJAMIN, was born March 20th, 1863, and died February 23rd, 1864.

5245 IV REIST, MARIA (Polly), the eleventh member

of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born December 17th, 1812. In 1826 she came to Canada with her parents. On September 13th, 1836, she was married to Henry Mosser who was born January 31st, 1814. They resided in Woolwich Township, about two miles south-west of Elmira where she died May 3rd, 1894. See Henry Mosser's family.

5246 IV REIST, DANIEL, the twelfth member of John and Susannah (Huber) Reist's family, was born August 9th, 1816. On January 13th, 1836, he was married to Leah, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Wanner) Mosser. She was born September 7th, 1818, and died August 29th, 1882. He died June 27th, 1891. After their marriage they moved on the farm now possessed by Ephraim S. Cressman about two miles east of Breslau. Here they resided until their deaths. They were blessed with a family of seven children, viz:

5247 V REIST, PETER M., the eldest son, was born January 2nd, 1837. On July 20th, 1856, he was married to Catharine Betzner who was born April 11th, 1832. They reside on the old "Buckler Farm," being part of his father's old homestead. Their family consists of eight children, viz:

5248 VI REIST, FANNIE, was married to George Smith. They reside at Niagara Falls, Ontario, and have a family of five children, namely: VII Jennie, VII Ada, VII Willie, VII Norman, and VII Herbert.

5249 VI REIST, AARON, died young.

5250 VI REIST, MARY, was married to Benjamin Bernhard. They reside at Low Bank, Welland

County, Ontario. Their family consists of two children named VII Nettie and VII Ira.

5251 VI REIST, ELIZABETH, was married to Walter Purch. They reside at Niagara Falls, New York State, and have a large family, namely: VII Maggie, VII Martha, VII Minnie, VII William, VII George, VII Charles, VII Howard, VII Harvey, and VII Vernon.

5252 VI REIST, LEAH, is home and unmarried.

5253 VI REIST, CATHARINE, died young.

5254 VI REIST, MAGDALENA, is also home and unmarried.

5255 VI REIST, ERZA, is home and engaged on the farm during the summer season and during the winter he attends the public school.

5256 V REIST, JOHN H., the second son, was born February 1st, 1838, and died February 26th, 1885. He was married to Sarah Bracey, and resided on a farm near Heidelberg where he died. They had a family of seven children, namely: VI Esther, VI Ephraim, VI James, VI Sarah, VI Lovina (dead), VI son (name not given), and VI Ida.

5257 V REIST, NANCY, the eldest daughter, was born August 18th, 1839. She was married to Daniel Kramp who died some years ago. At present the widow resides at Shantz Station. Her family consists of five children, namely: VI Sarah, VI Magdalena, VI Louis, VI Lizzie, and VI Daniel.

5258 V REIST, ELIZABETH, the second daughter, was born March 25th, 1841. She was first married to Joseph Heckedon and after his decease to Samuel

S. Snider of Waterloo. They reside a little to the west of Waterloo. She has no family.

5259 V REIST, SARAH, the third daughter, was born April 10th, 1843. She is married to Henry Good. They reside in Conestogo. See No. 3244.

5260 V REIST, DAVID, the third son, was born February 2nd, 1842. He is unmarried and has his home with his brother, Peter.

5261 V REIST, LEVI, the youngest in family, was born October 17th, 1847, and died June 15th, 1869.

REITZEL.

5262 I REITZEL, ANTON, the pioneer settler of this family, was a native of Dachsburg, Lorraine, Germany, where he was born March 10th, 1810. In 1831 he emigrated to America and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, Canada. In September, 1834, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob and Salome (Graybill) Erb. She was born July 23rd, 1817. After their marriage they moved to Woolwich Township, on the farm now in possession of their son, Leon, where he died July 30th, 1893. She is still living and resides with her daughter, Magdalena. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

5263 II REITZEL, ISAAC, was born August 21st, 1835. He is married to Christiana Fry. They reside near Clifford, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of nine children, namely: III Lizzie, III Lydia (dead), III Samuel, III Leah, III Veronica (dead), III Margaret (dead), III Magdalena, III Amanda, and III Cebilla.

5264 II REITZEL, MAGDALENA, was born March 14th, 1837. She is married to Peter Cress. They reside at St. Jacobs, Ontario, and have no family. She has her mother residing with her.

5265 II REITZEL, SAMUEL, was born August 23rd, 1839. He is a farmer and resides near Milverton. He is not married.

5266 II REITZEL, POLLY, was born May 24th, 1841. She is married to Frederick Haug who was born November 22nd, 1834. They reside on a farm near St. Jacobs, Ontario. Their family consists of twelve children, namely: III Martin, married to Maggie Meyer, resides in May City, Iowa; III William, married to Elizabeth Haug, resides at St. Jacobs; III Annie, married to Eli Haug; III Samuel, married to Julia Meyer, resides at May City, Iowa; III Levi, married to Florence Donald, III Julian, III Frederick, III Paulina, married to Isaac G. Good, III Clara, III Anton, III Jacob, and III Nelson.

5267 II REITZEL, ANTON, was born July 10th, 1842. He is married to Caroline Gies and resides near Elmira where he is engaged in farming. They have five children, namely: III Edward, III Lovina, III Edwin, III Adline, and III Edgar.

5268 II REITZEL, ELIZABETH, was born April 11th 1844. She is married to Charles Gies, a farmer. They reside near St. Jacobs, Ontario. To them were born six children, namely: III Paulina, III Conrad, III Anton, III Nelson, III Rebecca, and III Samuel (dead).

5269 II REITZEL, ANNA, was born October 10th, 1846, and died April 24th, 1877. She was married to Christian Weber and resided near St. Jacobs.

Their family consisted of four children, namely: III Flavian, III Lincoln, III Sebilla, and III Emanuel.

5270 II REITZEL, LEON, was born April 12th, 1849. On July 5th, 1870, he was married to Christina Winkler. She was born July 23rd, 1849. They reside on the old "Reitzel Farm" near St. Jacobs. Their family consists of three children, namely: III Addison, III Maggie, and III Alvina.

5271 II REITZEL, LYDIA, was born August 9th, 1850, and died in 1853.

5272 II REITZEL, EDWARD, was born in 1852 and died same day he was born.

5273 II REITZEL, LOUIS, was born in 1854 and died same day he was born.

5274 II REITZEL, CATHARINE, was born September 12th, 1857. She is married to Michael Kercher and resides at May City, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming. They have a family of four children, namely: III Lizzie, III Levi, III Adline, and III Clara.

RIFE.

(Formerly spelled Reiff.)

5275 I RIFE, DAVID, a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, was born in the year 1751.* All attempts made to obtain names of his parents and of all his brothers and sisters

* My grandmother, Mrs. John Shoemaker, daughter of Barbara Reiff, used to say that her uncle, David, was two years older than her mother and that her uncle was ordained as minister of the Mennonite Church when he was in his thirty-ninth year, consequently he entered the ministry in 1790.

proved fruitless. We know of one sister he had, named Barbara, who was born in 1753, and died in Waterloo County in 1820. She was married to Isaac Shantz, father to all the old Shantzes that settled in this county during the early part of the present century. When a young man he moved to Adams County, Pennsylvania. He was a Mennonite and in 1790 was appointed a minister of that church. He was married and had a family of eight children, namely: II John, II Abraham, II George, II Samuel, II Joseph, II David, II Isaac, and II Mary.

5276 II RIFE, ABRAHAM, the second son in the family, resided in Adams County, Pennsylvania, where he raised a large family. Their names are III Christian, III Isaac, III David, III John, III Mary, III Martha, III Nancy, III Fannie, and III Elizabeth. They resided in Adams, York and Hanover Counties, Pennsylvania, where their descendants are still to be found.

5277 II RIFE, SAMUEL, fouth son of Rev. David Rife, was born in Adams County, Pennsylvania, April 15th, 1788. He was married to Elizabeth Hoke who was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, January 7th, 1793. In 1825 they moved to Canada and located in Waterloo County for a short time, then moved to what was afterwards called Guelph Township, Wellington County where he squatted on a tract of land before the survey of the township was made. The old homestead is now in possession of their son, Samuel. Here and on the farm adjoining their old homestead Mr. and Mrs. Rife resided until their deaths. He died June 7th, 1856, and she died August 21st, 1873. Their family consisted of eight children, the five eldest of whom were born in Adams County, Pennsylvania, and the three younger in Guelph Township, Wellington County, Ontario. The names of the children are as follows, viz:

5278 III RIFE, NANCY, the eldest in the family, was born in Adams County, Pennsylvania, and came to Canada with her parents in 1825. She was married twice, first to David

Vance who was accidentally killed by falling while walking over the ice one morning. His head struck the solid ice with such a force as to cause instant death. Some time after his decease she was married to Joseph Diller. They resided on a beautiful farm about three miles north of Hespeler. With her first husband she had four children, namely: IV David, IV John, IV Edward, and IV Mary who was married to David Decker. Of the second union there were three children, namely: IV Joseph, IV Benjamin, and IV Sarah.

5279 III RIFE, ELIZABETH, the second daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Hoke) Rife, was married to David Guyer. Their family consisted of six children, namely: IV George, IV Mariah, IV Sarah, IV Annie, IV Lydia, and IV Jane.

5280 III RIFE, MARIAH, the third daughter, was first married to Thomas Hilborn and after his decease she was married to Jesse Hilborn, brother to her first husband. She resides in Preston. Her family consisted of six children, namely: IV David, IV Elizabeth, IV Samuel, IV Mary, and IV Sarah Ann of first husband, and IV Mariah of second husband.

5281 III RIFE, SAMUEL, Jr., was born in Adams County, Pennsylvania, October 12th, 1818. He resides on the old homestead. He was married twice, first to Mary Hilborn, March 10th, 1840, and after her decease to a Mrs. Hine. His family, all of first wife, consisted of twelve children, viz:

5282 IV RIFE, HENRY, was born February 28th, 1841, and died March 10th, 1885.

5283 IV RIFE, ELIZABETH, was born May 8th, 1842. She is married to John Henry and resides at Los Angeles, California.

5284 IV RIFE, SAMUEL, was born October 11th, 1844.

He is married to Mary Halstead and resides at Hespeler, Ontario.

5285 IV RIFE, THOMAS, was born June 10th, 1847. He is married to Clara Thompson and resides in Hespeler, Ontario.

5286 IV RIFE, MARY, was born May 1st, 1849. She is married to Eli Salyards and resides in Rochester, New York.

5287 IV RIFE, SARAH, was born July 25th, 1851. She is married to S. Witmer and resides at Hespeler, Ontario.

5288 IV RIFE, JOHN, was born April 13th, 1853. He is married to Annie Plugradt and resides at Hespeler, Ontario.

5289 IV RIFE, GEORGE W., was born May 29th, 1855. He is married to Mamie Corrigan and resides at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

5290 IV RIFE, DAVID, was born September 20th, 1857. He is married to Annie Brockel and resides at Hespeler, Ontario.

5291 IV RIFE, JAMES, was born April 13th, 1860. He is married to Fannie Reid and resides in Guelph, Ontario.

5292 IV RIFE, JENNIE, was born January 15th, 1863. She is married to J. Thomas and resides at Toronto, Ontario.

5293 IV RIFE, EMMA, was born October 23rd, 1864, and died January 27th, 1875.

5294 III RIFE, DAVID, the second son of Samuel Rife, was born in Adams County, Pennsylvania, August 28th, 1820. When five years of age his parents moved to Canada and settled

on the farm now in possession of his brother, Samuel Rife, Jr. Here he was raised. He was married to Mary, daughter of Abraham and Sarah (Clemens) Pannabecker. They resided on a farm now within the corporation of Hespeler, Ontario. Here he died April 29th, 1888. His widow is still living and is quite active for a person of her age. She resides in the village of Hespeler. Their family consisted of seven children, viz:

5295 IV RIFE, GEORGE WILLIAM, was born in Hespeler, January 24th, 1844. He used to be bookkeeper for R. Forbes & Co., woollen manufacturers, Hespeler. About eighteen years ago he moved to Aylmer where he was engaged in the mercantile business. Since then he returned to Hespeler where he now resides and is engaged in farming, conveyancing, etc. On August 31st, 1869, he was married to Isabella, daughter of Rev. James White. Their family consists of five children, viz:

5296 V RIFE, MARY ELLEN, was born in Hespeler, February 18th, 1871, and died April 28th, 1871.

5297 V RIFE, JAMES DAVID, was born in Hespeler, May 7th, 1872.

5298 V RIFE, WILLIAM ARTHUR, was born in Hespeler, July 13th, 1874.

5299 V RIFE, ELIZA JANE, was born in Aylmer, Elgin County, April 21st, 1878.

5300 V RIFE, CLARENCE WHITE, was born in Hespeler, May 17th, 1886.

5301 IV RIFE, ABRAM SAMUEL, the second son, resides in Dillon City, Montana, U. S., where he is engaged in the dairy and ranching business. He is married to Mary Jardine.

5302 IV RIFE, DAVID, the third son, resides in Hes-

peler, where he is engaged in farming and the dairy business. He is married to Ophelia Lochead.

5303 IV RIFE, SARAH ELIZABETH, eldest daughter of David Rife, is married to Isaac Salyards, deputy sheriff of Monroe County, New York.

5304 IV RIFE, ISAAC, resides in Red Rock, Beaverhead County, Montana, where he is engaged in the dairy and ranching business. He is married to Kate Barrett.

5305 IV RIFE, MARY JANE, is unmarried and resides with her mother in Hespeler.

5306 IV RIFE, EPHRAIM EDWARD, is a teacher in the Northwestern College situated in Napierville, Illinois. He is unmarried.

5307 III RIFE, SARAH, the fourth daughter of Samuel Rife, was born in Guelph Township, Wellington County, Ontario, August 28th, 1826, and died November 6th, 1831. She was the first white child born in Guelph Township.

5308 III RIFE, JOSEPH, the third son of Samuel Rife, was born in Guelph Township and now resides in Michigan. He is married to Elizabeth Volick. Their family consists of fourteen children.

5309 III RIFE, GEORGE, the fourth and youngest son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Hoke) Rife, resides in Walkerton, Bruce County, Ontario, where he is engaged as agent for sewing machines, organs, etc. He is married to Sarah Pannebecker.

RINGLER.

5310 I RINGLER, HENRY, the old progenitor of this family, was a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was born about the year 1770. In the year 1802 he, in company with his wife and family and others, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near Galt, where he resided several years, then he moved to Wilmot Township, near Manheim, where he died many years ago. One of his sons was named II John.

5311 II RINGLER, JOHN, was born March 13th, 1800. He was married to Elizabeth Wildfong, sister to old Joseph Wildfong. She was born in 1803 and died April 26th, 1891. They resided on the old farm near Manheim where he died July 12th, 1867. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

5312 III RINGLER, ALBERT, was born June 2nd, 1825. He was first married to Catharine Sararas and after her decease to Catharine Hartzberger. He resides on a farm near Petersburg, Ontario. To him was born a family of seven children, namely: IV Barbara, IV Elizabeth (dead), IV Catharine, IV Samuel, IV Sophia (dead), IV Lydia, and IV Amanda.

5313 III RINGLER, BARBARA, was married to Abram Kuehner, a farmer. They resided about three miles west of Waterloo where both died.

5314 III RINGLER, BENJAMIN, is married to Caroline Fisher. They reside near Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is farming.

5315 III RINGLER, JOHN, is married to Catharine Fisher. They reside at Wroxeter, Huron County, Ontario, where he is farming.

5316 III RINGLER, GEORGE, is married and resides in Michigan, about nine miles from Port Huron, where he is farming.

5317 III RINGLER, VERONICA, is married to Nathaniel Downie, a farmer. They reside in Lambton County, near Port Sarnia, Ontario.

5318 III RINGLER, DANIEL, is married to Nancy Schmidt. They reside in Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged as a wagon builder.

5319 III RINGLER, ADAM, is married to Sophia Wart. They reside in Indiana where he is farming.

5320 III RINGLER, SAMUEL, is married to Elizabeth Richert. They reside in Indiana, U. S. He is engaged in farming.

5321 III RINGLER, MARY, is married to Kilian Schmidt, a wage-earner. They reside in New Hamburg, Ontario.

ROAT.

5322 I ROAT, JOHN, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, about the year 1802. He was the son of Henry† Roat whose parents emigrated to Pennsylvania from the Palatinate about the year 1763. While yet a boy he learned the trade

† Mrs. Isaac Eby informed the writer that she remembers hearing old Mr. Roat speakin of his father, Henry, and stating that his grandfather came to America years before he (Henry) was born.

of harness making and soon became a renowned expert at his trade. When quite a young man he made up his mind to leave his native state and seek his home elsewhere. Shortly thereafter he bid adieu to his parental home and travelled northward. He came to Canada and finally settled in Berlin, Ontario, where he soon set to work at his trade. His shop was situated a little to the east of the Market Hotel. Here he carried on his business until the time of his death which took place in August, 1854. In 1830 he was married to Sarah, daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Horst) Sauer. She was born September 5th, 1805, and is still living with one of her children. To them was born a family of eleven children, of whom the three eldest, namely: II Isaac, II Elhannon and II Lydia, died in infancy.

5323 II ROAT, CATHARINE, was married to Samuel Trout, a wagon builder. They resided in Berlin for some time, then they moved to Wallaceville, Ontario. From there they moved to Wisconsin, thence to Kansas where she died, leaving a family.

5324 II ROAT, JOHN, was born in Berlin, in October, 1833. He was first married to Mary L. McMannus who died February 20th, 1864, and after her decease to Christina Fraser who died December 25th, 1889. They resided in Berlin where he was proprietor of the old Commercial Hotel for a number of years. He died March 23rd, 1888, leaving a family of several children.

5325 II ROAT, HARRIET, was born August 19th, 1835, and died February 11th, 1853.

5326 II ROAT, MARY, is married to John Haugh, a harness maker. They first resided in Berlin where he carried on a well paying business for years, then he moved to Guelph, Ontario, and from there to Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, where they now reside. They have a family of several children.

5327 II ROAT, SARAH, is married to Charles Lutz, a merchant. They reside in Chicago, Illinois, where he has his place of business. They have a family of several children. See Charles Lutz's family.

5328 II ROAT, HENRY, is married to Melvina Bowman (No. 434) and resides in the city of Guelph where he is engaged in the Wine business. His family consists of four children, namely: III George, III Louisa, III Ella, and III May.

5329 II ROAT, EDWARD, followed harness making for a number of years but owing to the small profits derived from the business, he quit harness making and commenced life as a commercial traveller. At present he is travelling for D. Hibner & Co., manufacturers of parlor furniture, etc. Mr. Roat was first married to Maggie Wilson and after her decease to Hannah Master, widow of the late Jacob Levan. He resides in Berlin and has a family of several children.

5330 II ROAT, HANNAH, the youngest in the family, was born in Berlin in 1849. She is married to Allan Huber and has a family of two children, namely: III Henry Oscar and III Henrietta Innis.

ROSENBERGER.

5331 I ROSENBERGER, DANIEL, was one of the four Rosenbergers who settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. He was a native of Zweibrücken, Germany, where he was born about the year 1715. When a young man of about twenty years of age he, with others, emigrated to America and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. We find that he purchased a tract of land near a place called Hockertown in 1740, and another of 200 acres in 1769, just two years before his death. He was a member of the Mennonite body and as we have been informed attended the Line Lexington church for worship. Tradition has it that he had settled for a brief period near the county line of Montgomery and Bucks Counties, on the place now in possession of Samuel Rosenberger. From here he moved to the place now in possession of Henry Rosenberger where he erected a stone house. Here he died in 1771. He had a family of several children, the names of some were II David, II Daniel, II Isaac, II Ann, and II Mary.

5332 II ROSENBERGER, DANIEL, a son of I Daniel, the old progenitor, was born about the year 1744. He resided in the same locality as his father where he was engaged in farming. He was married twice, first to Anna Funk and after her decease to Barbara Detweiler. His family consisted of seventeen children, of whom four died in infancy. The names of the remaining thirteen were III Abraham (died when about 4 years of age), III Christian, III David, III Philip, III Abraham, III Daniel, III John, III Valentine, III Henry, III Susan, III Ann, III Mary, and III Elizabeth.

5333 III ROSENBERGER, ABRAHAM, son of Daniel Rosenberger, settled in Providence Township, where he raised a family. The names of four have been handed to us, namely: IV Benjamin, IV Jacob, IV Susannah, and IV Elizabeth.

5334 IV ROSENBERGER, BENJAMIN, son of III Abraham Rosenberger, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, about the year 1769. He was married to Elizabeth, daughter of John and Barbara (Fried) Biehn. In 1801 they with others moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, a little north of Preston, on the farm where the late Henry Hagey resided. Here they had a family of six children, viz:

5335 V ROSENBERGER, JOHN, son of Benjamin Rosenberger was born in 1797 and died in 1863. He was married to Margaret, daughter of Cornelius Pannebecker. She was born October 12th, 1805, and died March 28th, 1880. They resided on his father's place a little north of Preston. Both died in Preston. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

5336 VI ROSENBERGER, MAGDALENA, was born June 23rd, 1823. She is married to Samuel Burkholder. They resided in Blandford Township, Oxford County, and afterwards moved near New Dundee, Ontario, where they died, leaving a family of eight children, namely: VII Sarah, VII Elizabeth, VII Mary, VII Samuel, VII John, VII George, VII Maggie and VII Rachel.

5337 VI ROSENBERGER, JOSEPH, was born January 25th, 1825. He was married to Hannah Sherk. They reside in Preston, Ontario, where he died April 10th, 1893. To them were born eight children, viz:

5338 VII ROSENBERGER, JACOB, was born in 1847, and died September 27th, 1885. He was not married.

5339 VII ROSENBERGER, CYRUS, was born in 1849 and died in 1851.

5340 VII ROSENBERGER, LEVI, was born in February, 1851. He resides in Hamilton, Ontario, where he is engaged as a moulder in one of the foundries. He is married to Georgiana Winter and has a family of three children, namely: VIII William, VIII George, and VIII Charles.

5341 VII ROSENBERGER, SUSANNAH, was born August 5th, 1854. She resides in Hamilton, Ontario, and is married to John Linkert, a shoemaker. To them are born seven children, namely: VIII John, VIII Minnie, VIII Edward, VIII Henry, VIII Alice, VIII Carl, and VIII Percy.

5342 VII ROSENBERGER, MARY, was born in 1857. She is married to John Cotterrell, an upholsterer. They reside in Preston, Ontario, and have four children, namely: VIII John, VIII Henry, VIII Mabel, and VIII Lillie.

5343 VII ROSENBERGER, SARAH, was born in 1859. She is married to Wellington Shupe. They reside in Galt, Ontario, where he is engaged as a machinist. To them are born three children, namely: VIII Nellie, VIII Albert, and VIII Lillie.

5344 VII ROSENBERGER, CHRISTIAN, was born in 1862. He is married to Mary Gibson and resides in Berlin, Ontario, where he is engaged in Krug & Co's furniture factory as painter. They have one son named VIII Louis Roy.

5345 VII ROSENBERGER, ALICE, was born August 27th, 1865. She is married to Eli Heinrich and resides in Berlin, Ontario, where he is engaged as finisher by the Graybill Manufacturing Company of Waterloo. They have two children, namely: VIII Carl and VIII Gordon.

5346 VI ROSENBERGER, SARAH, was born August 23rd, 1826. Died in infancy.

5347 VI ROSENBERGER, RACHEL, was born June 16th, 1828. She was married to Levi Bock. They resided near New Dundee, Ontario, where he died, leaving a family of twelve children, namely: VII Nancy (dead), VII Isaac, VII Elizabeth, VII Aaron, VII Catharine, VII Gideon, VII Jacob (dead), VII Magdalena, VII Margaret (dead), VII Levi, VII Barbara, and VII Hannah (dead).

5348 VI ROSENBERGER, NANCY, was born June 4th, 1830. Died in infancy.

5349 VI ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, was born July 23rd, 1832. She is married to Duncan McShannock and resides in Muskegon, Michigan. To them are born eight children, namely: VII Daniel, VII Lizzie, VII John VII Archibald (dead), VII Joseph, VII Catharine, VII Thomas, and VII Mary.

5350 VI ROSENBERGER, CYRUS, was born November 18th, 1834. Died in infancy.

5351 VI ROSENBERGER, CYRUS, was born February 26th, 1837. Died in infancy.

5352 VI ROSENBERGER, MARY, was born December 8th, 1838. Died in infancy.

5353 VI ROSENBERGER, JOHN, was born March 24th, 1843. He resides in Preston where he is engaged with Clare Bros. in manufacturing furnaces and stoves. He is married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob and Catharine (Shupe) Bock. She was born May 11th, 1840. To them were born seven children, viz:

5354 VII ROSENBERGER, GEORGE, was born May 22nd, 1865. He resides in Creston, Ohio, where he

is engaged as a stove polisher. He is married to Annie Killet.

5355 VII ROSENBERGER, JACOB, was born November 30th, 1867. He is married to Polly Schoenan and resides in Preston, Ontario, where he is engaged as a spinner in the woollen mills. They have two children, namely: VIII Laura and VIII Norman.

5356 VII ROSENBERGER, MARGARET, was born January 24th, 1869. She is married to Frederick Crosbie, a furnace mounter. They reside in Preston and have two children, namely: VIII Gladys and VIII Maude.

5357 VII ROSENBERGER, JOSEPH, was born September 30th, 1870. He is a cloth finisher and is engaged in the Preston Woollen Mills. He is unmarried and has his home with his parents.

5358 VII ROSENBERGER, MAGDALENA, was born October 5th, 1872, and died September 8th, 1873.

5359 VII ROSENBERGER, CATHARINE, was born May 15th, 1875. She is engaged in the Preston Woollen Mills and has her home with her parents.

5360 VII ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, was born April 22nd, 1884, and died August 22nd 1884.

5361 VI ROSENBERGER, ANNIE, was born November 18th, 1845, and died in infancy.

5362 VI ROSENBERGER, GEORGE, was April 29th, 1848. Died an infant.

5363 V ROSENBERGER, ABRAHAM, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, at the close of the last century and came to Canada with his parents in 1801, then being

a mere child. He was raised at Preston. After arriving at the age of some twenty years he was married to Nancy, daughter of Christian and Polly (Rutt) Strome. After their marriage they resided for some time on the old "Rosenberger Farm" near Preston but later on they moved to Wilmot Township, near New Dundee. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

5364 VI ROSENBERGER, ABRAHAM, the eldest, resides in northern Michigan where he is engaged in farming. His wife's maiden name was Catharine Moore. They have a family but names of children were not received.

5365 VI ROSENBERGER, CHRISTIAN, the second son, resides about three and one-half miles west of New Dundee, on the farm he cleared himself. He was married twice, first to Barbara Jones with whom he had one child named VII Barbara who died in infancy. His second wife was Hannah, daughter of Bishop Henry Shantz. Of the second union there are nine children, viz:

5366 VII ROSENBERGER, HENRY, died aged about seventeen years.

5367 VII ROSENBERGER, ABRAHAM, resides on a farm adjoining that of his father. He is married to Lydia Tohman.

5368 VII ROSENBERGER, MARIA, is married to Rev. Henry S. Hallman. They reside in Berlin. See Rev. H. S. Hallman's family.

5369 VII ROSENBERGER, REBECCA, is unmarried and is home with her father.

5370 VII ROSENBERGER, HANNAH, is married to James Coleman. They reside near Elmwood, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

5371 VII ROSENBERGER, CHRISTIAN, resides on Rev. Christian Shantz's farm near New Dundee. He is married to Phidella Reist.

5372 VII ROSENBERGER, LUCINDA, is married to Theodore Reist. They reside near Kossuth, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

5373 VII ROSENBERGER, NOAH, is home on his father's farm. He is unmarried.

5374 VII ROSENBERGER, MINERVA, is unmarried and resides with her father.

5375 VI ROSENBERGER, BENJAMIN, the third member of Abraham Rosenberger's family, resides in Wilmot Township, about three miles west of New Dundee, where he is engaged in farming. He is married to Nancy Shantz. They have ten children, namely: VII Lydia, VII Menno, VII Mary, VII Leah, VII Eli, VII Nancy, VII Benjamin, VII Sarah Ann, VII Edwin, and VII Oziah.

5376 VI ROSENBERGER, ISAAC, son of Abraham Rosenberger, resides in Wilmot Township, near the Schmidt Mennonite Meeting House, where he is engaged in farming. He is married to Elizabeth Shantz. Their family consists of eight children, namely: VII Hannah, VII Isaiah, VII Mary Ann, VII Emma, VII Moses, VII Emery, VII Titus, and a daughter, name not received.

5377 VI ROSENBERGER, POLLY, daughter of Abraham Rosenberger, is married to Abraham Clemens. They reside in Bosanquet Township, Lambton County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. See Abraham Clemens' family.

5378 VI ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, daughter of Abraham Rosenberger, was married to George Denstedt. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where she died.

5379 VI ROSENBERGER, SARAH, died in 1880, aged about 40 years. She was not married.

5380 VI ROSENBERGER, SUSANNAH, died single, aged about 30 years.

5381 VI ROSENBERGER, LYDIA, youngest daughter of Abraham Rosenberger, was born May 27th, 1845. She is married to Levi S. Shantz. They reside near Philipsburg, Ontario, and have a family of twelve children. See Levi S. Shantz's family.

5382 V ROSENBERGER, JACOB, was born about the year 1803 and died some years ago. He was married and resided in Waterloo Township, in the neighborhood of Kossuth, for some time and later at Speedsville. To them were born five children, viz:

5383 VI ROSENBERGER, JANE, is married to Moses Gingerich. They reside at Guelph, Ontario. Their family consists of one child.

5384 VI ROSENBERGER, ALICE, died, aged about 10 years.

5385 VI ROSENBERGER, WALTER, was married to Harriet Bouldec and resided in Hespeler where he died, leaving one son.

5386 VI ROSENBERGER, HETTIE, was married to John Pierson. They resided in Guelph, where he died. She has one child.

5387 VI ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, the youngest member of Jacob Rosenberger's family, was married to David Fields. They resided in Guelph but many years ago they moved to Michigan where they still reside. They have a family of five children, names were not received.

5388 V ROSENBERGER, BARBARA, was born near Preston, Ontario. She was married to Daniel Rudy. To them were born eleven children, namely: VI George, VI Rebecca, VI Nancy, VI Daniel, VI Abraham, VI Christian, VI Henry, VI Benjamin, VI Samuel, VI Barbara, and VI Jacob. See Daniel Rudy's family.

5389 V ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, second daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Biehn) Rosenberger, was married to Henry Schaeffer. They resided in the county of Waterloo but left no issue.

5390 V ROSENBERGER, NANCY, the third daughter of Benjamin Rosenberger, was married to John Graham. They resided near Dundas, Ontario, where their descendants are now residing.

5391 IV ROSENBERGER, JACOB, the second son of Abraham Rosenberger, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, about the year 1772. He was married to Polly Detweiler. During the early part of the present century they moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County. In 1834 while residing in Beverly Township, Wentworth County, they took the cholera and both died of that dreadful disease. Their family consisted of twelve children, viz:

5392 V ROSENBERGER, JOHN, never resided in Canada. His home was in Providence Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. He was married to Nancy Harley. Both died in Montgomery County. They had a family but none settled in Canada.

5393 V ROSENBERGER, REBECCA, was married to Joseph Stauffer. They resided west of Waterloo where they both died. See Joseph Stauffer's family.

5394 V ROSENBERGER, JACOB, resided in Gaines County, Michigan, where he was engaged in farming. His wife was Hannah Pannabecker. None of their descendants reside in Canada.

5395 V ROSENBERGER, BENJAMIN, was born June 20th, 1806. He resided at Roseville, Waterloo County, where he died October 18th, 1880. His first wife was Sallie Strome and the second was Mary Woods. With first wife there were three children whose names we have, namely: VI Maria, VI Lucy, and VI Christian, and with second wife there were two children, namely: VI Louisa and VI Menno.

5396 V ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, fifth member in the family of Jacob Rosenberger, was married to John Bricker. They resided near Roseville where she died many years ago, leaving a family of several children. See John Bricker's family.

5397 V ROSENBERGER, ABRAHAM, resided in Hay Township, Huron County, where he was engaged in farming. He was married to Rebecca Eby. They are both dead. They had a family of nine children, viz:

5398 VI ROSENBERGER, WILLIAM, was born October 14th, 1836. He was married to Elizabeth Dickson and after her decease to Susan Miller who is also dead. He now resides in Nappanee, Indiana.

5399 VI ROSENBERGER, SIMEON, was born April 22nd, 1839, and was married to Ann Carter, December 9th, 1863. He resides in St. Thomas, Elgin County, Ontario.

5400 VI ROSENBERGER, JEREMIAH, was born April 12th, 1842, and was married to Jane Begg

April 20th, 1868. He now resides in La Fayette, Indiana, U. S.

5401 VI ROSENBERGER, ISABELLA, was born October 9th, 1843. She was married to James Walker, February 8th, 1872, and resides near Exeter, Middlesex County, Ontario.

5402 VI ROSENBERGER, MARGARET, was born January 2nd, 1846, and died April 23rd, 1846.

5403 VI ROSENBERGER, ADELIA, was born October 16th, 1850. She was married to Joseph Hutchinson, December 16th, 1884, and resides near Falkirk, Middlesex County, Ontario.

5404 VI ROSENBERGER, ABRAM E., was born December 22nd, 1852. He is married to Mary Neil and resides in Toronto, Ontario.

5405 VI ROSENBERGER, REBECCA, was born February 20th, 1857, and was married to George Humbler, December 12th, 1876. She resides at Falkirk, Middlesex County, Ontario.

5406 VI ROSENBERGER, FRANKLIN, was born December 19th, 1859, and was married to Minnie Draper, April 25th, 1888. They reside at Copleston, Lambton County, Ontario.

5407 V ROSENBERGER, HENRY, died of cholera in 1834, aged about 23 years.

5408 V ROSENBERGER, NANCY, was born May 7th, 1812. She was married to John Strome. They had a family of twelve children, namely: VI Henry, VI Abraham, VI David, VI Polly, VI John, VI Aaron, VI Elizabeth, VI Moses, VI Nancy, VI Amos, VI Isaiah, and IV Elijah. See John Strome's family.

5409 V ROSENBERGER, JOSEPH, died of cholera in 1834, aged about 19 years.

5410 V ROSENBERGER, CHRISTIAN D., the tenth member of Jacob and Polly (Detweiler) Rosenberger's family, was born February 25th, 1817. In 1838 he was married to Elizabeth Schlichter who was born January 4th, 1818, and died September 11th, 1891. After his marriage he moved to Blenheim Township, about two miles south of New Dundee where they resided until the fall of 1847 when they moved to Wilmot Township, about one mile east of New Dundee where they resided until 1880, then they moved to Berlin where he still resides. After the decease of his wife he was married to Hannah Schlichter, widow of the late Jacob Detweiler. His family consisted of twelve children, viz:

5411 VI ROSENBERGER, MARY, was born July 9th, 1839. She was married to John Hilgartner, a farmer. They resided near Hanover, Ontario, where she died in 1868, leaving two children, namely: VII Hannah (dead) and VII Edmund.

5412 VI ROSENBERGER, ELIZABETH, was born January 29th, 1841. She was married to Jacob Lautenschlager, a farmer. They resided in Wilmot Township, where she died in spring of 1880, leaving a family of six children, namely: VII Malinda, VII Rosetta, VII Lydian, VII Annettie, VII Isaac, and VII Albert.

5413 VI ROSENBERGER, NANCY, was born February 1st, 1843. She is married to Louis Adolph, a farmer. They reside in Wallace Township, Perth County, Ontario. To them are born six children, namely: VII Samuel L., VII John (dead), VII Sinclair, VII Milton, VII Minnie Rosetta, and VII Ella (dead).

5414 VI ROSENBERGER, HANNAH, was born February 17th, 1845. She is married to John Bricker, a farmer. They reside near Fargo, Michigan. To

them were born the following children, namely: VII Chester, VII Eusebius, VII Leander, VII Addison (dead), VII Arthur, VII Maggie Lenora, VII Hannah Rosetta, and VII Minerva Savina. See No. 1300.

5415 VI ROSENBERGER, SUSANNAH, was born May 20th, 1847. She is married to George Bell and resides at Yale, Michigan. To them are born two children, namely: VII Annettie and VII Urias (dead).

5416 VI ROSENBERGER, JOHN, was born July 17th, 1849, and died in October 1849.

5417 VI ROSENBERGER, MAGDALENA, was born August 13th, 1850. She was married to John W. Groh. They resided in Waterloo County where she died some years ago, leaving two children, namely: VII Savina and VII Elizabeth. See No. 3417.

5418 VI ROSENBERGER, SAMUEL, was born March 5th, 1853. He was married to Phoebe Erb. They resided several miles from Brown City, Michigan, where he died some time ago, leaving a family of five children, namely: VII Irvine, VII Gordon, VII Joanna, VII Bella, and VII Hattie.

5419 VI ROSENBERGER, LYDIA ANN, was born March 26th, 1855. She is married to Amos Bricker, a farmer. They reside near Roseville, Ontario, and have a family of five children, namely: VII Nettie, VII Wilton, VII Horace and VII Howard (twins), and VII Addie. See No. 1267.

5420 VI ROSENBERGER, MARGARET, was born May 10th, 1857. She is married to Rev. Isaac W. Groh. They reside at Welland, Ontario, and have had a family of five children, namely: VII Elma, VII

Lottie, VII Alonzo (dead), VII Clive (dead), and VII Claude (dead). See No. 3420.

5421 VI ROSENBERGER, PRISCILLA, was born June 14th, 1849. She was married to Simon Thaler, a farmer. They resided near Williamsburg, Waterloo County, Ontario, where she died May 8th, 1891, leaving a family of four children, namely: VII George (dead), VII Ella, VII Flossie (dead), and VII Annettie Priscilla.

5422 VI ROSENBERGER, MARY ROSETTA, was born January 12th, 1862. She is married to Thomas S. Hammet. They reside in Galt, Ontario, where he is engaged in selling pianos, organs, etc.

5423 V ROSENBERGER, MARY, the eleventh child of Jacob Rosenberger, was first married to Benjamin Coleman and after his decease to Owen Dodge. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan. She had a family with her first husband.

5424 V ROSENBERGER, SUSANNAH, the youngest child of Jacob Rosenberger, was born December 14th, 1821, and died June 26th, 1884. She was married to Rev. Moses Erb. They resided in Berlin where she died. They had a family of three children, namely: VI Menno, VI Moses, and VI Aaron. See Rev. Moses Erb's family.

RUDELL.

5425 II RUDELL, JOHN, son of Conrad and Margaret (Fischer) Rudell, was born in Kuhr Hessen, Germany, April 28th, 1833. In 1847 he, in company with his parents, emigrated to America and landed at Quebec, Canada, where they remained one year. In 1848 they continued their journey westward and came as far as Preston, Waterloo County, Ontario, where they finally settled. Mr. Rudell, after arriving at the age of maturity, commenced to take building contracts for himself. In a few years he proved himself to be one of the most successful builders and contractors of the county. On October 5th, 1856, he was married to Hannah, youngest daughter of Deacon Abraham C. and Elizabeth (Strohm) Clemens. She was born near Hespeler, Ontario, August 30th, 1836. After their marriage they resided in Preston for some time, then they moved on a farm in Puslinch Township, Wellington County, near Holm's mills. Here they resided until 1891 when they moved to Berlin where they still reside, spending the evening of their days in comfort and ease. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

5426 III RUDELL, ABRAM C., was born March 11th, 1858. He is married to Sarah Ziegler and resides on a farm near Hespeler, Ontario. They have a family of three children, namely: IV Minnie, IV Alice, and IV Matthew.

5427 III RUDELL, MARY, was born December 26th, 1859. She is home with her parents and unmarried.

5428 III RUDELL, AARON C., was born March 22nd, 1862, and died in Berlin September 5th, 1894. He was not married.

5429 III RUDELL, SARAH, was born March 10th, 1864. She is a dressmaker and resided in the city

of Toronto until her marriage with John S. McNally. Now they reside at Blair, Ontario.

5430 III RUDELL, JOHN C., was born May 13th, 1866. He resides in Puslinch Township, near Hespeler, where he is engaged in farming. His wife was Christina Broughton. They have no family.

5431 III RUDELL, IDA ALICE, was born October 17th, 1868. She is married to Levi Master. They reside west of New Dundee, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of one child named IV Laura.

5432 III RUDELL, WILLIAM, was born November 10th, 1870. He is a druggist and resides at Sault St. Marie, Michigan, where he, in partnership with Mr. Simeon Zeller, is engaged in a well paying drug business. He is not married.

5433 III RUDELL, ROSALINE, was born October 10th, 1872. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

5434 III RUDELL, LILLIE ALMA, was born March 15th, 1875. She is at home with her parents.

5435 III RUDELL, ALBERT EDWIN, the youngest in the family, was born May 7th, 1877. He is attending the Berlin High School, preparing himself to pass the teachers' examination.

RUDY.

5436 I RUDY, DANIEL, a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, was born December 4th, 1796. When a young man he came to Canada and settled near Doon, Waterloo County, where he was married to Barbara (No. 5388), daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Biehn) Rosenberger. She was born near Preston, Ontario, January 29th, 1804, and died January 30th, 1885. He died December 7th, 1857. To them were born eleven children, viz:

5437 II RUDY, GEORGE, was born September 23rd, 1823. On March 16th, 1847, he was married to Barbara Lichty. She was born January 2nd, 1825. Six years after their marriage they moved on part of lot No. 39, German Company's Tract, several miles west of the town of Waterloo where they resided until 1887, then they retired from the farm and moved to Waterloo where they reside at present. To them was born one child, viz:

5438 III RUDY, NANCY, was born April 7th, 1850. She was married, May 3rd, 1868, to John Kunkle, a native of Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. They resided on her father's old homestead where she died April 14th, 1887, leaving a family of ten children, namely: IV Sarah Jane (dead), IV Josiah, IV Cyrus (dead), IV Alice, IV Barbara, IV Nancy (dead), IV John (dead), IV George (dead), IV Alfred, and IV Emma.

5439 II RUDY, REBECCA, was born October 29th, 1825. On March 25th, 1845, she was married to

Samuel Shantz who was born January 16th, 1811, and died January 17th, 1895. See Samuel Shantz's family.

5440 II RUDY, NANCY, was born October 14th, 1827. On April 11th, 1854, she was married to Aaron Ziegler who was born December 16th, 1829, and died January 13th, 1885. They resided in Woolwich Township, a little west of Elmira, where she died February 20th, 1862. See Aaron Ziegler's family.

5441 II RUDY, DANIEL, was born July 27th, 1830. He was married to Mary Ann Detweiler and resided in South Easthope Township, Perth County, Ontario, near Tavistock, where he was engaged in farming. He died July 29th, 1892. His family consisted of one son named III David.

5442 III RUDY, DAVID, is married to Mary Ann Hewitt. They reside on the old homestead where he is engaged in farming and auctioneering.

5443 II RUDY, ABRAHAM, was born January 2nd, 1833. On September 12th, 1854, he was married to Nancy Shantz who was born May 5th, 1835, and died August 12th, 1857. On October 12th, 1858, he was again married to Mary Snyder who was born June 29th, 1833. His family consists of five children, viz:

5444 III RUDY, SUSANNAH, was born July 10th, 1855. She is married to Martin Fry and resides in Waterloo where he is engaged in teaming. Their family is as follows: IV Eliza Ann, IV Abraham (dead), IV Amanda, IV Edwin, IV Harvey, IV Elam, IV Luetta, IV Elsie, and IV Floyd.

5445 III RUDY, ELIZABETH, was born August 1st,

1857. She is married to John Becker, a farmer. They reside in Brant Township, Bruce County, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: IV George, IV Maggie, IV Herman, IV William, IV Ida, IV Abraham, IV Lucy, IV Philip, and IV Emanuel.

5446 III RUDY, BARBARA, was born August 31st, 1859. She is married to Ezra S. Baumann and has a family of five children, namely: IV Allan, IV Mary Ann, IV Sarah, IV Elizabeth, and IV Malinda. See No. 173.

5447 III RUDY, ANGELINE, was born October 18th, 1860, and died February 18th, 1891. She was married to John M. Brubacher and left a family of four children, namely: IV Edwin, IV Clara, IV Abraham, and IV Phianna. See No. 1405.

5448 III RUDY, SOPHIA, was born February 8th, 1862. She is married to Josiah S. Shantz. They reside on her father's old homestead, part of lot No. 20, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township. To them are born two children, namely: IV Alvin and IV Elvina. See Josiah S. Shantz's family.

5449 II RUDY, CHRISTIAN, twin brother to Abraham, was born January 2nd, 1833. He is married to Lydia Horst who was born March 17th, 1838. They reside a little north of St. Jacobs, Ontario. To them were born eleven children, viz:

5450 III RUDY, LEAH, was born August 8th, 1855. She is married to Henry P. Martin and has a family of eleven children, namely: IV Lydia, IV Menno, IV Josiah† and Jeremiah† (triplets), IV Christian,

† Josiah and Jeremiah of the triplets are dead, Menno is living yet.

IV Amos (dead), IV Veronica (dead), IV Jonathan, IV Susannah, IV Mary Ann, and IV Nancy.

5451 III RUDY, AMANDA, was born May 14th, 1857. She was married to Samuel Snyder and resided in Wilmot Township where she died May 24th, 1889, leaving one son named IV Menno.

5452 III RUDY, AMOS, was born March 25th, 1859. He was married to Nancy Steiner and died February 4th, 1885, leaving one son named IV Isaiah.

5453 III RUDY, DANIEL H., was born April 24th, 1861. He is married to Nancy Shantz and resides at Blair, Ontario. They have three children, namely: IV Norman (dead), IV Clarence, and IV Clayton.

5454 III RUDY, EMILY, was born September 1st, 1863. She is married to Jonathan Martin. They reside about three miles north-west of Waterloo. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Josiah, IV Ephraim, IV Ervine IV Hannah, IV Isaiah, IV Malinda, and IV Norman.

5455 III RUDY, VERONICA, was born October 18th, 1865. She is married to Daniel Ernst and resides in Wellesley Township, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows: IV Josiah, IV Nelson, IV Zelinda, IV May, IV Noah, and IV Jonathan.

5456 III RUDY, LYDIA, was born June 17th, 1867. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

5457 III RUDY, CHRISTIAN, twin brother to Lydia, was born June 17th, 1867, and died February 6th, 1871.

5458 III RUDY, JOSIAH, was born September 21st, 1871, and died October 4th, 1885.

5459 III RUDY, SUSANNAH, was born July 28th, 1874, and died March 22nd, 1875.

5460 III RUDY, BARBARA, the youngest in family, was born May 13th, 1876. She is at home with her parents.

5461 II RUDY, HENRY, was born in 1835. He was married to Louisa Anna Meyer and resided in Illinois, U. S., where he died, leaving a family of three children, namely: IV Joseph, IV Elizabeth, and IV Emily.

5462 II RUDY, BENJAMIN, was born October 13th, 1837, and died in Wellesley Township, near Bamberg, Ontario, where he resided, April 23rd, 1890. On November 7th, 1863, he was married to Mary Ann Hoffman who was born April 20th, 1844, and died in Wilmot Township, near the Schmidt Mennonite Meeting House, April 27th, 1894. To them was born a family of fourteen children, viz:

5463 III RUDY, WILLIAM, was born April 24th, 1864. He is married to Rachel Reist. He resides in Woolwich Township, on a farm on town line opposite that of Christian B. Snyder, near the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. Their family consists of two children, namely: IV Mary Etta and IV Jacob.

5464 III RUDY, MENNO, was born January 16th, 1866, and died January 17th, 1867.

5465 III RUDY, NANCY, was born September 19th, 1867. She is unmarried and resides with Eli Good at New Hamburg, Ontario.

5466 III RUDY, SARAH ANN, was born December 21st, 1868. She is unmarried and resides with Christian Brubacher near Berlin.

5467 III RUDY, BARBARA, was born January 19th, 1870. She is unmarried and resides with her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Shantz, west of Berlin.

5468 III RUDY, MAGDALENA, was born July 31st, 1872. She is unmarried and resides with John Kunkle, west of Waterloo.

5469 III RUDY, ELENOR, was born October 6th, 1874. She is unmarried and resides with Isaac H. Baumann, north-west of Waterloo.

5470 III RUDY, MARY ETTA,† was born May 8th, 1877, and died May 22nd, 1877.

5471 III RUDY, MARY ANN, was born May 8th, 1877, and died May 8th, 1877.

5472 III RUDY, JEREMIAH, was born July 24th, 1878. He resides with Nelson Shantz, west of Berlin.

5473 III RUDY, JOSIAH, twin brother to Jeremiah, was born July 24th, 1878. He resides with Isaac H. Baumann, north-west of Waterloo.

5474 III RUDY, HANNAH, was born March 6th, 1880. She resides with Nelson Shantz, west of Berlin.

5475 III RUDY, ELIAS, was born June 13th, 1882. He resides with his uncle, Menno E. Shantz, at Petersburg, Ontario.

5476 III RUDY, LUCY ANN, the youngest in family, was born November 3rd, 1884. He resides with his brother, William.

5477 II RUDY, SAMUEL, was born March 3rd, 1840. In 1861 he was married to Nancy Jones who was born April 22nd, 1845. They reside in the town of

† Mary Etta and Mary Ann were twins.

Berlin where he is engaged as a teamster. To them was born a family of nine children, viz:

5478 III RUDY, JOSHUA, was born March 11th, 1862. He is married to Rebecca Spaetz. They reside in Woolwich Township, about five miles north-west of Waterloo, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows: IV Noah, IV Amos, IV Israel, and IV Aaron.

5479 III RUDY, HANNAH, was born July 6th, 1863. She is married to Alexander Dingwall, a carder and spinner. They reside in Wellesley and have two children, namely: IV Martha Valeria and IV Harry Alexander.

5480 III RUDY, JONAS, was born December 21st, 1864. He is married to Louisa Thiede. They reside in Berlin. He is a cabinet maker. To them are born three children, namely: IV William Arthur, IV Anna Leona, and IV James Courtland.

5481 III RUDY, BARBARA, was born June 10th, 1867. She is married to Jacob Sauer, a cabinet maker and manufacturer of parlor frames with H. Krug, Berlin, where they reside. To them are born two children, namely: IV Norman and IV Harold.

5482 III RUDY, SAMUEL, was born September 20th, 1868. He is married to Lizzie Lantz. They reside in Waterloo where he is engaged in a furniture factory. They have two children, namely: IV Lanora Cate and IV Oscar.

5483 III RUDY, IMANUEL, was born August 21st, 1870. He is a builder and carpenter and is engaged with Henry Wildfong of Berlin.

5484 III RUDY, MOSES, was born March 18th, 1875, and died March 23rd, 1875.

5485 III RUDY, ADDISON, was born March 11th, 1876. He is engaged as a laborer in H. Krug's factory.

5486 III RUDY, ALBERT LEBOREUS, was born March 26th, 1888.

5487 II RUDY, BARBARA, was born June 18th, 1842. On September 18th, 1864, she was married to Menno E. Shantz who was born March 11th, 1841. They reside in Wilmot Township, about a mile west of Petersburg, Ontario. See Menno E. Shantz family.

5488 II RUDY, JACOB, the youngest in the family, was born in the year 1844. He resides in St. Antonia, Texas, U. S. On June 5th, 1889, he was married and has a family of one son whose name was not received.

SALTZBERGER.

(Now spelled Salzberry.)

5489 I SALTZBERGER, JOHN PHILIP, a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, came to Canada in 1802. He was born June 21st, 1780, and died December 29th, 1860. On September 22nd, 1805, he was married to Veronica Gingerich, sister to old David Gingerich and daughter of old Abraham Gingerich. She was born in 1781 and died in 1810. After the decease of his first wife, he was again married to Mary, daughter of John and Nancy (Bechtel) Biehn. She was the first white child born in the township of Waterloo and quite likely the first in the county. She was born April 24th, 1801, and died September 29th, 1889. They were married in September, 1819. Mr, Saltzberger's family is as follows;

5490 II SALTZBERGER, CATHARINE, was born July 1st, 1806, and died near Bloomingdale, January 3rd, 1869. She was married to Benjamin Snyder. See Benjamin Snyder's family.

5491 II SALTZBERGER, MARTHA, was born October 20th, 1808, and was married to John Jones. They are both dead and are buried in the Blenheim (Mennonite) graveyard. They had a family of fifteen children. See John Jones' family.

5492 II SALTZBERGER, JOHN, was born May 20th, 1810. They reside in Townsend Township, Norfolk County, Ontario, and have had a family of six children, but names and place of residence of each were not handed to the writer in time for publication.

5493 II SALTZBERGER, VERONICA, twin sister to John, died in infancy.

5494 II SALTZBERGER, ABRAHAM, was born November 22nd, 1820. He was married to Polly, daughter of Adam Kunzenhauser. They reside in Indiana, U. S., and have had a numerous family, of whom five children are still living but names were not received.

5495 II SALTZBERGER, ELIZABETH, was born March 11th, 1823. She was married to Henry, son of Christian and Sophia (Ruth) Schwartz. He was born May 8th, 1816, and died May 27th, 1887. See Henry Schwartz's family.

5496 II SALTZBERGER, JACOB, was born May 25th, 1825. He is married to Esther Honsberger who was born October 16th, 1826. They reside in Plattsville, Oxford County, Ontario, and have had a family of five children, viz:

5497 III SALTZBERGER, VERONICA, was born August 2nd, 1852. She is married to Amos Hilborn, a miller by trade. They reside in the town of Berlin. Their family consists of four children, namely: IV Carrie (dead), IV Cranson, IV Ivan, and IV Laura.

5498 III SALTZBERGER, LOVINA, was born November 7th, 1856. She is married to John Underwood, a teamster for Messrs. Shirk & Snider, Bridgeport, where they reside. Their family consisted of eight children, namely: IV Obel, IV Ira, IV Oscar and IV Ervine (dead) (twins), IV Sylvia, IV Harry, IV Alvin (dead), and IV Milo.

5499 III SALTZBERGER, CATHARINE, was born August 30th, 1860, and died January 20th, 1890. She was married to George Miller. They resided near Manheim, in Wilmot Township, where she died, leaving two children, namely: IV Lillie and IV Amos.

5500 III SALTZBERGER, ESTHER, was born February 24th, 1863. She is married to George Miller. They reside near Haysville, Ontario. Their family consists of three children, namely: IV Harry, IV Roxie (dead), and IV William.

5501 III SALTZBERGER, MARY, was born May 26th, 1865. She is married to Harry Ellis, a sewing-machine agent. They reside in the city of Guelph. Their family consists of four children, namely: IV Florence, IV Alice (dead), IV Clarles, and IV Ethel.

5502 II SALTZBERGER, SAMUEL, son of Philip John and Mary (Biehn) Saltzberger, was born June 1st, 1829. He is unmarried and resides with his sister, Elizabeth (Mrs. Henry Schwartz), in Strasburg, Ontario.

5503 II SALTZBERGER, CHRISTIAN, was born August 27th, 1827, and died in 1829.

5504 II SALTZBERGER, AARON, was born June 17th, 1833, and died June 26th, 1833.

SARARAS.

5505 I SARARAS, NICOLAS, the old pioneer, was a descendant of some noble Huguenot family who had settled in North Carolina, U. S., where old Nicolas was born in April, 1751. When some twenty years of age he was married to Mary Livergood, sister to old Jacob Livergood. She was also a native of North Carolina where she was born May 8th, 1752, and died at Freeport, Ontario, March 24th, 1832. In 1796 they left their native state and moved north to Pennsylvania where they sojourned until 1801 or 1802, then, with others, they moved to Canada and settled on the west bank of the Grand River, Waterloo County, Ontario, near the village of Freeport, on the farm now owned by George Becker. He died June 10th, 1836. To them were born several children, the names of only three were received, namely: II Andrew, II Nicolas, and II Sallie who was married to John Livergood (No. 4256).

5506 II SARARAS, ANDREW, was born December 28th, 1781. He was married to Elizabeth Livergood, his cousin. She was born January 23rd, 1781, and died suddenly of paralysis while walking on the road near the Toll Bridge, December 28th, 1865. He died on his old homestead near Freeport, February 3rd, 1867. To them were born ten children. Their names are as follows:

5507 III SARARAS, JOHN, the eldest, was married to Anna Rickert. They resided in Hastings County, Ontario, where he was farming. To them were born three children, namely: IV Henry, IV John, and IV Sarah.

5508 III SARARAS, MARY, is married to John Tennant, a farmer. They reside in Elma Township, Perth County, near Listowel. To them were born ten children but names were not received.

5509 III SARARAS, JACOB, was married to Elizabeth Graybill. They resided in Wallace Township, Perth County, Ontario, until some time ago when they moved to Manitoba where he followed farming. To them were born five children, namely: IV Nelson, IV Phoebe, IV John, IV Annie, and IV Catharine.

5510 III SARARAS, ANDREW L., was married to Mary Kercher. They resided in Wilmot Township, north of New Dundee, where he was engaged in farming. To them were born twelve children, two of whom died in infancy and their names were not received, but the names of the other ten were IV David, IV Cyrus, IV Isaac, IV Jacob, IV Hannah, IV Leah, IV Rebecca, IV Maggie, IV Andrew K., and IV Mary.

5511 III SARARAS, NICOLAS L., was born May 8th, 1808. He was married to Catharine, daughter of George and Elizabeth (Sheirich) Shupe. She was born September 10th, 1815. He died July 13th, 1893. Since the decease of her husband she has her home with her son, Moses, who resides on the old homestead near New Dundee, Ontario. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

5512 IV SARARAS, GEORGE, was born January 19th,

1842 He is married to Susannah Block. They reside near New Dundee, Ontario, where he is farming. They have one child named V Almina.

5513 IV SARARAS, NOAH, was born June 25th, 1843. He is married to Hannah Burkholder. They reside in Michigan. No issue.

5514 IV SARARAS, ELIZABETH, was born December 2nd, 1845. She is married to George Becker, a farmer. They reside on the old "Baumann Farm" at Centreville, near the Toll Bridge. To them were born six children, namely: V Emanuel, V Magdalena, V Ellen, V Noah, V Martha, and V Solomon.

5515 IV SARARAS, MARY, is married to Isaac Bock. They reside at New Dundee and have a family of six children, namely: V Nathaniel, V Lucinda, V Eljuda, V Bernice, V Addison, and V Mariah.

5516 IV SARARAS, MAGDALENA, was born October 10th, 1850. She is unmarried.

5517 IV SARARAS, FANNIE, was born November 7th, 1852, and died December 21st, 1889.

5518 IV SARARAS, SOPHIA, was born September 10th, 1854. She is married to August Becker. They reside in New Dundee, Ontario, and have a family as follows, namely: V Celina, V Elma, V Herbert, V Gilbert, and V Rustella.

5519 IV SARARAS, MOSES, was born November 30th, 1856. He is unmarried and resides on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. His mother and his sister have their home with him.

5520 III SARARAS, ELIZABETH, was married to Michael Bauers, a farmer. They reside in Hastings

County, Ontario. To them is born a large family but names of the children were not received.

5521 III SARARAS, SAMUEL, is married to Margaret Mutchenbacher. They reside in New Dundee, Ontario, and have a family of twelve children, IV Solon, IV Peter, IV Catharine, IV Samuel, IV Abram, IV Hannah, IV Levi, IV Maggie, IV Julian, and three who died in infancy.

5522 III SARARAS, DANIEL, is married to Margaret Kercher. They reside in Hay Township, Huron County, where he is engaged in farming. They have a large family but names were not received.

5523 III SARARAS, CATHARINE, was married to David Strome who was born April 28th, 1817, and died September 21st, 1875. They resided on a farm about three miles east of Hespeler where she is still having her home with one of her children. Their family consisted of eight children, namely: IV Leah, IV Eli, IV Noah, IV Andrew, IV Margaret, IV Benjamin, IV Rachel, and IV Solomon.

5524 III SARARAS, DAVID, the youngest in the family, was born September 5th, 1824. He was married to Magdalena Brower (No. 1359) who was born June 28th, 1829, and died January 28th, 1872. They resided near Freeport, on the old "Sararas Homestead" where he died August 28th, 1892. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

5525 IV SARARAS, LYDIA, is married to Emanuel Weaver. They reside at Petoskey, Michigan, and have a family but names of children were not received. See Emanuel Weaver's family.

5526 IV SARARAS, NANCY, is married to Isaac Gehl, a farmer. They reside at Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan, and have five children.

5527 IV SARARAS, MARY, is married to James Battler. They reside at Petersburg, Ontario, and have a family of one child named V Mabel.

5528 IV SARARAS, ELIZABETH, is married to Adolph Gruetzner. They reside in New Hamburg, Ontario, and have two children, namely: V Alice and V Florence Ida.

5529 IV SARARAS, AARON, is married to Adriana Stengel. They reside at New Hamburg, Ontario, where he is engaged in the furniture business. No family.

5530 IV SARARAS, MENNO, is married to Louisa Stengel. He resides on the old homestead where he is farming. They have one child named V Elvina.

5531 IV SARARAS, MAGDALENA, is married to Henry Walder, proprietor of the Hilborn House, Ayr, Ontario. They have two children, namely: V Harry and V Louisa.

5532 IV SARARAS, CAROLINE, is married to Almon Lewis, a farmer. They reside at Chicopee. Their family consists of two children, namely: V Lloyd and V Harry.

5533 IV SARARAS, JACOB, was born in 1870. He is unmarried and resides in Ayr where he has his home with his sister, Mrs. Walder.

5534 IV SARARAS, ELLEN, the youngest in family, was born in 1870. She is married to William Meisel, a blacksmith. They reside in Baden, Ontario. No family.

SAUERS.

5535 I SAUERS, JACOB, the father of this family, was a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He was married to Elizabeth Horst, a distant relative of the Horsts of this county. In 1825 they moved to Canada and settled in Berlin, Ontario, where they both died. To them was born the following family, viz:

5536 II SAUERS, LYDIA, was married to Samuel Bowers. They resided near Berlin where they had a large family. See No. 1146.

5537 II SAUERS, ISAAC, was married and resided in the town of Galt where he died, leaving a family of one child named III Hannah. She was married to Isaac Whiting.

5538 II SAUERS, CATHARINE, was married to Jacob Evans. They resided near Lancaster City, Pennsylvania, where she died.

5539 II SAUERS, ELIZABETH, was married to Jacob Fry, a miller. They resided in Kent County, Michigan.

5540 II SAUERS, SALLIE, was married to John Roat, a saddler. They resided in Berlin, Ontario, where he died.

5541 II SAUERS, JULIA, was married to Daniel Levan, a tinsmith. They resided in different parts of the county.

5542 II SAUERS, CYRUS, was married to Sarah Dobbin. They reside in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

5543 II SAUERS, JACOB, was married to Rosina Kraft. They reside in Minnesota, U. S., where he is engaged in business.

5544 II SAUERS, ANN, is married to Christian Unger, a farmer. They reside in Kent County, Michigan.

5545 II SAUERS, ANDREW, died in Berlin, aged about 18 years.

5546 II SAUERS, POLLY, was married to Henry Histand and after his decease to Michael Correll.

5547 II SAUERS, CAROLINE, was married to John Hoffman. They resided in Berlin where they both died. See John Hoffman's family.

SCHEIFLE.

(Now Scheifle is spelled Scheifley, Shifley, and Shyflee.)

5548 I SCHEIFLE, ANDREW, the pioneer settler of this family, was born in Switzerland probably as early as 1786. When a young man he left his native home and went to Wurtenberg, Germany, where he remained several years. In 1815 he emigrated to America and late in the fall of the same year he arrived at Berlin, Ontario. Here he resided until the following spring (1816), then he moved on the farm now possessed by the heirs of the late Abraham Groff. Old Mr. Scheifle was married to Maria Nagle. His family consisted of several children but the name of only one has been handed unto us, viz:

5549 II SCHEIFLE, FREDERICK, was born in Waterloo County, June 21st, 1823. He has spent his younger days in chopping and clearing land, and later on he purchased a farm a little to the south of Conestogo where he followed farming until

1889 when he quit farming and moved a little to the north of the town of Waterloo where he now lives retired and takes life easy and comfortable. In April, 1842, he was married to Esther Wenger who was born in July, 1818, and died in September, 1850. On June 21st, 1851, he was again married to Elizabeth, daughter of Michael and Mary (Wanner) Gingerich. She was born August 21st, 1827. Mr. Scheifle's family consists of nine children, four of whom were born unto his first wife.

5550 III SHEIFLEY, GIDEON, was born November 2nd, 1843. He is married to Susannah Martin. They reside in Michigan where he is farming. They have one child named IV Elizabeth.

5551 III SHEIFLEY, AMANDA, was born December 23rd, 1844. She is married to Franklin Meyer. They reside in Waterloo where he is engaged in teaming. To them are born ten children, namely: IV Susannah, IV Annie, IV Matilda, IV Priscilla, IV Franklin, IV Lovina, IV Henry, IV Mary Ann, IV Aaron, and IV Sidney.

5552 III SHEIFLEY, PRISCILLA, was born March 22nd, 1846. She is married to Enoch Snyder, a farmer. They reside in North Dumfries Township, near Roseville, Ontario, and have a family of four children, namely: IV Ira, IV Sophia, IV Ida, and IV Amasa.

5553 III SHEIFLEY, BARBARA, was born April 3rd, 1848. She was married to Christian Keller and resides in Kent County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born ten children, but none of the names were received in time for publication.

5554 III SHEIFLEY, CHRISTIAN G., was born March 27th, 1852. He is married to Amanda, daughter of Jacob M. and Magdalena W. (Eby) Brubacher.

They reside near St. Jacobs where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of eight children, namely: IV Ira, IV Addison, IV Ervine, IV Wesley, IV Minerva, IV Edgar, IV Oscar, and IV Hilda.

5555 III SHEIFLEY, SOLOMON G., was born April 30th, 1853. He is married to Lucinda, daughter of Henry and Sarah (Reist) Good. They reside south-west of Conestogo, about a mile east of the Martin Mennonite Meeting House where he is farming. Their family consists of four children, namely: IV Arna, IV Ada, IV Allan, and IV Harvey.

5556 III SHEIFLEY, AARON G., was born October 6th, 1855. He is married to Angeline, daughter of David and Mariah (Shelley) Stauffer. They reside on the south-west part of lot No. 2, Woolwich Township, about one and one-half miles south of Conestogo. To them are born eight children, namely: IV Sidney, IV Alvin, IV Ida, IV Oliver, IV Herbert, IV Perley, IV Eby Dalton, and IV Clayton.

5557 III SHEIFLEY, ANDREW, was born September 21st, 1858. He is married to Malinda Stauffer, sister to his brother's (Aaron) wife. They reside on part of lot No. 3, Woolwich Township. His farm adjoins that of his brother Aaron. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Hattie, IV Eveline, IV Sylinda, IV Dalton, IV Elma, IV Edna, IV Mabel, IV Allison Boyd, and IV Violet.

5558 III SHEIFLEY, DAVID, was born October 25th, 1865. He is married to Mary, daughter of Solomon M. and Barbara D. (Martin) Musselman. They reside about a mile north-east of St. Jacobs where he is farming. Their family consisted of two children, namely: IV Laura (dead), and IV Orvan.

SCHEIRICH.

(Now spelled Shiry.)

5559 I SCHEIRICH, MATHIAS, the ancestor of the family, was a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was born December 6th, 1751. In 1805 he emigrated to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, nearly two miles south of Berlin. His old homestead is now possessed by George Histand. He was married to Catharine Mooney who was born in 1762 and died December 10th, 1825. He died February 6th, 1835. They had a family of eight* children, viz:

5560 II SCHEIRICH, ANNA MARIA, the eldest of Mathias Scheirich's children, was born in October, 1784, and died July 10th, 1841. She was married to Jacob Strohm who was born September 24th, 1783, and died December 7th, 1855. They resided near Hespeler where they both died. They had a family of eight children, namely: III Catharine, III John J., III David, III Eli, III Eva, III Elizabeth, III Susannah, and III Mary. See Jacob Strohm's family.

5561 II SCHEIRICH, JOHN, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 4th, 1787. He came to Canada with his parents when eighteen years of age. When some twenty years old he was married to Barbara Groh who was born May 28th, 1784, and died November 28th, 1858. They resided on his father's place near Berlin where both died. His death took place April 3rd, 1862. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

5562 III SCHEIRICH, CATHARINE, the eldest in family, was born May 20th, 1814, and died May 30th,

* Maybe they had more than eight children.

1837. She was married to Joshua Shoemaker. They had one child, a daughter named IV Mary who was born April 10th, 1836, and died April 18th, 1837.

5563 III SCHEIRICH, ELIZABETH, was born May 1st, 1816, and died December 17th, 1890. She was first married to Jacob Bleam who was born January 20th, 1810, and was murdered at Dundas, in January, 1836.† On October 25th, 1849, she was married to George Histand with whom she had one child named IV Anna who was born December 10th, 1852, and died same day.

5564 III SCHEIRICH, JOSEPH, the eldest son, was born May 8th, 1817, and died July 25th, 1828.

5565 III SCHEIRICH, ANNA, was born October 25th, 1818, and died March 31st, 1881. She was married to John Biehn. They resided in Wilmot Township, near Haysville, where she died. Their family consisted of eleven children, namely: IV Barbara, IV Nancy, IV Levi (dead), IV John, IV Noah, IV George, IV Henry, IV David, IV Isaac, IV Elizabeth, and VI Simon. See John Bean's family.

5566 III SCHEIRICH, SUSANNAH, was born April 1st, 1820, and died April 6th, 1884. She was married to John Y. Shantz. See John Y. Shantz's family.

5567 III SCHEIRICH, MAGDALENA, was born June 17th, 1822, and died March 7th, 1849. On April 15th, 1842, she was married to Jacob B. Betzner. See Jacob B. Betzner's family.

5568 III SCHEIRICH, SAMUEL, was born May 6th, 1824, and died May 12th, 1824.

5569 III SCHEIRICH, ESTHER, was born May 18th,

† See Jacob Bleam's family.

1825, and died February 18th, 1845. She was married to George Histand and had one child named IV Mary who was born February 17th, 1845, and died the 18th day of same month.

5570 III SCHEIRICH, VERONICA, was born November 6th, 1827, and died November 10th, 1848. She was married to George Histand and had a family of two children, namely: IV Elizabeth and IV David (dead). See George Histand's family.

5571 II SCHEIRICH, DAVID, second son of Mathias and Catharine (Mooney) Scheirich, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 24th, 1790. He was nearly fifteen years of age when he came to Canada with his parents. In 1820 he was married to Mary Ringler. After his marriage he moved on lot No. 116, German Company's Tract, now in possession of his son, Samuel. Here she died about the year 1834. After her decease he was married to Elizabeth Reist who was born February 13th, 1803, and died July 22nd, 1876. He died December 15th, 1862. With his first wife he had a family of six children and with the second wife there were four children. Their names are as follows:

5572 III SCHEIRICH, JOHN, was born March 23rd, 1822. He resided at Freeport, Ontario, where he died October 13th, 1891. He was married to Agnes Break and had a family of two daughters named IV Mary Ann and IV Jennie.

5573 III SCHEIRICH, POLLY, was born April 12th, 1824, and died at Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan. She was unmarried.

5574 III SCHEIRICH,† SAMUEL, was born April 9th, 1826. He resides on his father's old homestead where he was engaged in farming until lately. He

† He and all his family spell their name "Shiry" not Scheirich.

now lives retired while his son is managing the farm. In May, 1850, he was married to Susannah Schneider. Their family is as follows:

5575 IV SCHEIRICH, ELIAS, was born December 3rd, 1853, and died March 12th, 1870.

5576 IV SCHEIRICH, NOAH, was born January 24th, 1857. He was married to Lizzie Snyder who died March 10th, 1887, leaving two children, namely: V Mabel and V Agnes.

5577 IV SCHEIRICH, HENRY, was born April 17th, 1860, and died September 17th, 1862.

5578 IV SCHEIRICH, JUDITH ANN, was born July 13th, 1862. She is married to Emil Marchand. They reside in Milton, Halton County, Ontario, and have a family of one son named V Albert.

5579 IV SCHEIRICH, MENNO, was born April 5th, 1865. He is a farmer and resides home with his father and manages the farm. He is married to Melvina Gehl and has a family of two children, namely: V Harvey (dead) and V Ida.

5580 IV SCHEIRICH, JOHN, was born January 28th, 1868. He is married to Barbara Shantz. They reside in Berlin and have a family of one son named V Kenneth O.

5581 IV SCHEIRICH, SUSANNAH, was born April 20th, 1871. She has her home with her brother Noah for whom she is keeping house. She is not married.

5582 IV SCHEIRICH, LIZZIE, the youngest in the family, was born February 27th, 1873. She is unmarried and resides home with her parents.

5583 III SCHEIRICH, JACOB, was born March 29th, 1828, and died January 6th, 1856. He was not married.

5584 III SCHEIRICH, CATHARINE, was born September 7th, 1829. She is married to John McMullen. No information in regard to family.

5585 III SCHEIRICH, VERONICA, was born November 10th, 1832. She is married to John Seibert. They reside in Petoskey, Michigan, and have a family of several children but names were not received.

5586 III SCHEIRICH, DAVID R., was born May 10th, 1837, and died May 21st, 1844.

5587 III SCHEIRICH, JOSEPH R., was born July 18th, 1840. He was accidentally drowned in Wisconsin, U. S., in 1890. No information in regard to his family.

5588 III SCHEIRICH, ABRAHAM R., was born August 20th, 1844. He is unmarried and has his home with Jacob S. Betzner.

5589 III SCHEIRICH, ELIZABETH R., was born March 13th, 1847. She is unmarried and has her home with old Christian Schneider near Breslau for whom she is keeping house.

5590 II SCHEIRICH, JACOB, third son of old Mathias and Elizabeth (Mooney) Scheirich, died, aged some twenty years. He was never married.

5591 II SCHEIRICH, ELIZABETH, another daughter of Mathias Scheirich, was born May 26th, 1795, and died June 27th, 1866. She was married to Bishop George Shupe. They resided in Wilmot Township.

near New Dundee, where he was engaged in farming. They had a family of two children, namely: III Benjamin and III Moses. See Bishop George Shupe's family.

5592 II SCHEIRICH, EVA, another daughter of Mathias Scheirich, was born November 16th, 1799, and died July 13th, 1841. She was married to Jacob Shupe. They had a family as follows, namely: III John, III Jacob, III Samuel, III Eli, III Levi, and III Aaron. See Jacob Shupe's family.

5593 II SCHEIRICH, CATHARINE, another daughter, was married to John Bamberger. They resided in the township of Waterloo, south of the Block Line, on the farm now in possession of John B. Schultz. No information in regard to their descendants.

5594 II SCHEIRICH, VERONICA, another daughter of old Mathias Scheirich, was born about 1804. No information in regard to her marriage or place of residence.

SCHÖRG.

(Now spelled by some Shirk and others Sherk.)

The motive that impelled old Joseph Schœrg, the ancestor of this numerous and widely scattered family, to seek the shores of the American continent, was undoubtedly caused by the fearful persecutions raised against all non-conformists in central and northern Europe. This caused the emigration of so many of the pioneer fathers to the "Land of the Free" where no cruel perse-

cution was waged against any whose forms of worship differed from that of the "State Party." Pennsylvania proved to be a place of refuge for these people who came hither in great numbers during the early colonial days. Here they might worship God according to their views of the teaching of the Bible. As to nationality the old progenitor was a native of Switzerland where he was born at an early date. On September 27th, 1727, the old progenitor with his son, Joseph, and others, came to America and settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

5595 II SCHŒRG, JOSEPH, son of the old progenitor, was born in Switzerland and was probably four years of age when his father emigrated to America. On March 24th, 1761, he was married to Barbara Kaufmann. To them was born a numerous family of which the descendants of John, Joseph and Casper are to be found in Canada while the descendants of the others are scattered over the whole of the United States and even Mexico and Alaska.

5596 III SCHŒRG, JOHN, was born in April, 1761, and died in 1792. He was married to Elizabeth (No. 915), daughter of old Samuel Betzner. They resided in Franklin County where one child was born unto them namely IV Samuel. After the decease of John Schörg the widow was married to her deceased husband's brother, viz:

5597 III SCHŒRG, JOSFPH,† was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, February 3rd, 1769. He came to Canada in fall of 1799, and in spring, 1800, he with his wife and family of five children settled on lot No. 11, B. F. Beasley Block, S. R., on the banks of the Grand River, opposite Doon. Here they raised a family of ten children. He died February 17th, 1853.

5598 IV SHERK, SAMUEL, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, April 19th, 1792. On August 20th, 1815,

† See historical notes, pages 20 and 21.

he was married to Magdalena Break (No. 1169) who was born April 3rd, 1796, and died September 8th, 1862. After their marriage they settled on the east side of the Grand River about two miles south of Breslau. In 1866 Mr. Sherk left his old home and moved to near Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan, where he spent the evening of his life. During his whole life he was a true follower of His Master and a worthy member of the River Brethren Church, so that he may be classed with the good and remembered with the just. He departed his well spent life September 17th, 1874. His family consisted of ten children, viz:

5599 V SHERK, ELIZABETH, the eldest, was born May 15th, 1816. She is married to Henry Simmons, a farmer. They reside in South Easthope Township, Perth County, Ontario. To them were born seven children, namely: VI Magdalena, VI Mahala (dead), VI Samuel, VI William, VI Henry, VI Abraham, and VI Elizabeth.

5600 V SHERK, ELI, was born October 20th, 1818. He was married to Mary Reesor. They resided at Caledonia, Michigan, where he died September 23rd, 1868. His family consisted of four children, namely: VI Henry, VI Anna, VI Joseph, and one whose name was not received, died in infancy.

5601 V SHERK, LEVI, was born November 23rd, 1820. He was married to Catharine Shupe. They resided at Parmalee, Berry County, Michigan, where he was engaged in farming. His death took place August 13th, 1886. Their family consisted of one son named VI Aaron.

5502 V SHERK, REV. SAMUEL, was born November 3rd, 1822. He resides near Caledonia, Michigan, where he is the possessor of a beautiful farm. He is a member of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ Church, of which body he is a minister. He has proved to be one of the instruments through whom the

Lord has done much good in proclaiming the precious gospel unto a dying world. Many have been brought from darkness into light through his labors in the Lord's vineyard. He is marrried to Sarah Schiedel and has had a family of five children, namely: VI Menno, VI John, VI Noah, VI Lydia (dead), and VI Samuel (dead).

5603 V SHERK, ADAM, was born February 4th, 1826. He was married to Elizabeth Stauffer and resided at Caledonia, Michigan, where he was engaged in farming but now lives retired. His family consisted of four children, namely: VI Angeline (dead), VI Caroline, VI Franklin, and VI Martha (dead).

5604 V SHERK, JOHN, was born May 1st, 1828, and died July 17th, 1851.

5605 V SHERK, AMOS, was born June 19th, 1830. He is married to Magdalena Stauffer and resides at Caledonia, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of eight children, namely: VI Matilda, VI Maria, VI Albert, VI Amanda, VI Reuben, VI Erville, VI Adah, and VI Allan (died in infancy).

5606 V SHERK, REV. ABRAHAM, was born May 6th, 1832. When a young man he prepared himself for the ministry. He entered upon the duties of the ministry about the year 1859. During the early part of his pastoral duties he labored in behalf of the Canada Conference of the U. B. Denomination but some twenty years ago he moved to Michigan where he has been doing a noble work for His Master. At present he is stationed at East Ashford, New York, where he is still engaged in the active ministry. He is married to Rebecca Gonder and has had a family of four children, namely: VI Asaph, VI Michael, VI Sarah who died in Toronto in 1893, and a daughter (died in infancy) whose name was not received.

5607 V SHERK, REV. DAVID B., was born November

29th, 1837. When a young man he was converted unto the Lord and has since his conversion been a true follower of His Master. Some thirty years ago he entered the ministry of the United Brethren in Christ for which body he has labored up to the present. Several years ago he was chosen Presiding Elder of the church for the Canadian field of labor. There is scarcely a man in Ontario who has a wider circle of friends and acquaintances, embracing all classes and creeds, than Rev. Mr. Sherk has. As a minister he is well received by all denominations holding the same spiritual views in regard to regeneration as the Brethren do. His preaching is plain, practical and impressive and his method of delivering his sermons is to use the plainest and simplest language so as to make himself understood by all classes of his audience. He is married to Sarah Hershey and resides in the town of Berlin. To them are born three children, viz:

5608 VI SHERK, DR. FREDERICK H., a native of Ontario, spent his boyhood in attending the public school. When pretty well up in his "teens" he passed the teachers' examination and spent several years in teaching in this county. In 1887 he entered the Toronto University and Medical College where he studied medicine. After having taken four full terms, he graduated and received his degree of M. D. and is now practicing at Sault St. Marie, Algoma, Ontario. He is married to May Cunningham.

5609 VI SHERK, LIVIA A., is married to George Aldred, a merchant. They reside at Parkdale, Ontario.

5610 VI SHERK, MARY E., followed teaching for a number of years but is now married to William H. Becker. They reside in Berlin where he is proprietor of the largest bookstore in town.

5611 V SHERK, REV. CHRISTIAN, was born September 1st, 1839. He joined the church of his choice, the United Brethren, when a young man and entered the ministry in

which calling he has proved himself an able worker in the cause of his Master. The conference has stationed him on different fields of labor and on every field he, by the help of God, has proved himself an able minister. He is well received by his co-laborers and since the division of the church he has been appointed presiding elder (representing the Radical party) for Kansas. At present he resides at Sharon, Kansas, where he is also the owner of a beautiful farm. He is married to Margaret Hodge and has a family of two children, namely: VI Mina and VI Uretta.

5612 IV SHERK, JACOB, was born August 18th, 1795. He was married to Hannah Bechtel (No. 753). They resided on the farm now in possession of Noah Betzner on the west side of the Grand River, near Breslau. Here he died of cholera, August 6th, 1834. His family consisted of eleven children, viz:

5613 V SHERK, ABRAHAM, was born July 7th, 1817. He was married October 30th, 1845, to Lucy Buckler who was born February 9th, 1828. Soon after their marriage they moved on a farm near Blair where they resided until lately when they moved to Berlin where they now reside. To them was born a family of thirteen children, viz:

5614 VI SHERK, WILLIAM, was born March 7th, 1846. He was married to Mary Park and after her decease to Mary Gaukel. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as agent. To him and his first wife were born five children and with second wife there is one child. Names are VII Ida, VII Elsie, VII Louisa, VII Lucy, VII Alvin, and VII Clara G.

5615 VI SHERK, HANNAH, was born August 27th, 1847. She is unmarried and resides in Toronto, Ontario.

5616 VI SHERK, MOSES, was born March 31st, 1849. He was married to Caroline Huber. They reside in Michigan where he is farming. Their family is as follows: VII Violet, VII Olive, VII Caroline, VII Joseph, VII Catharine, VII Abram, and another son whose name was not received.

5617 VI SHERK, JACOB, was born December 5th, 1850. He is married to Eliza Ann Bagot. They reside in Vancouver, British Columbia. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Albert, VII Franklin, VII Lillie, VII Thomas, and VII David.

5618 VI SHERK, ABRAHAM, was born February 13th, 1853. He is married to Sarah Ziegler. They reside in Victoria, Vancouver Island, where he is engaged as a merchant. His family is as follows, namely: VII Grace and VII Amsey.

5619 VI SHERK, ELIZABETH, was born January 1st, 1855. She is married to Daniel Hibner. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in manufacturing furniture. Mr. Hibner has been mayor of Berlin for the years 1894 and 1895.

5620 VI SHERK, WENDEL, was born May 17th, 1857. He is married to Mary Colter. They reside in Waterloo where he is engaged as an artist and photographer. He has one son named VII Clarke.

5621 VI SHERK, THOMAS, was born August 19th, 1859. He is married and resides in Chicago, Illinois, where he is engaged in the Chicago *Tribune* Office. His family consists of three children.

5622 VI SHERK, LUCY ANN, was born February 13th, 1862. She is married to Henry Foreman, a dealer in boots and shoes. They reside in Berlin and have one child named VII Alma.

5623 VI SHERK, MARY, was born February 2nd, 1864, and died September 25th, 1865.

5624 VI SHERK, SAMUEL, was born May 7th, 1866. He is unmarried and is engaged with the Breithaupt Leather Company in Berlin.

5625 VI SHERK, CALEB, was born April 15th, 1869. When of age he went to Detroit, Michigan, where he was residing when last heard of him.

5626 VI SHERK, LORETTA MAY, was born May 30th, 1873. She is married to Samuel Gehman, a farmer. The reside near Dumfries Station and have a family of one child named VII Pearl.

5627 V SHIRK, JAMES, was born May 9th, 1819. He was married to Elizabeth Taylor. They reside near Chatham, Ontario.

5628 V SHIRK, JOSEPH, was born May 25th, 1820. He was married to Jane Urth. They reside at Keokuk, Iowa.

5629 V SHIRK, JOHN, was born October 7th, 1821. He was married twice, first to Feddie Dearling and after her decease to Nancy Thornton. They resided in Missouri where he was accidentally killed while blasting stones.

5630 V SHIRK, ELIZABETH, was born February 26th, 1823. She is married to William Buckler. They reside in Missouri.

5631 V SHERK, DAVID, was born November 2nd, 1824, and died August 6th, 1834.

5632 V SHERK, CATHARINE, was born April 1st, 1826. She is married to Joseph Witmer and resides in Hespeler. See Joseph Witmer's family.

5633 V SHERK, HANNAH, was born February 2nd, 1828. She was married to Joseph Rosenberger. They resided in Preston where he died. See Joseph Rosenberger's family.

5634 V SHERK, EZRA, was born February 11th, 1830, and died same day.

5635 V SHERK, SARAH, was born August 11th, 1831. She is married to George Ball, a farmer. They resided in Missouri, U. S.

5636 V SHIRK, JACOB, was born July 2nd, 1833. When a young man he left for California. Nothing heard of him since.

5637 IV SHIRK, JOHN, was born November 23rd, 1796. He was first married to Mary Thornton and after her decease to Polly Adams, and resided on the farm now owned by Conrad Gremm,† near Noah Betzner's, thence moved to Blair, and from there to Blenheim Township where he died* about the year 1843. His family consisted of several children, namely: V Sarah, V Mary Ann, V Eliza, and V Joseph of first wife, and V Lydia Ann, V Martha, and V John of second wife.

5638 IV SHIRK, CATHARINE, was born February 11th, 1798. She was married to Deacon John Brubacher. They resided near Berlin where they both died. She died October 8th, 1882. See Nos. 1389 to 1441 for her descendants.

5639 IV SHIRK, ELIZABETH, was born December 3rd, 1799. She was married to Peter Wood. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where he was engaged in farming. According to

† On the west side of the Grand River, near Breslau.
* His death was caused by falling into the gearing of a horsepower while thrashing.

report they are both dead. Their family consisted of two children, namely: V Joseph and V Samuel who both reside in California.

5640 IV SHIRK, REV. DAVID, was born September 9th, 1801. On January 30th, 1827, he was married to Elizabeth Betzner who was born May 10th, 1811, and died at her son Benjamin's place, August 26th, 1894. On July 2nd, 1837, Mr. Shirk was ordained as a deacon of the Mennonite Church and on December 2nd, 1838, he was ordained as a minister of the same body for the Strasburg, Hagey and Wanner field of labor. In his long and dutiful services rendered unto the congregations of his charge he preached many a spiritual and instructive sermon and in his time was considered one of the ablest ministers of the Mennonite body. He died near Doon where he resided on his father's old homestead,‡ September 19th, 1882. His family consisted of ten children, viz:

5641 V SHIRK, ISAAC, the eldest, was born December 29th, 1827. He is unmarried and has his home with his brother, Benjamin, who resides near Breslau.

5642 V SHIRK, ANNA, was born February 5th, 1831, and died December 4th, 1836.

5643 V SHIRK, MARY, was born March 22nd, 1833, and died December 8th, 1836.

5644 V SHIRK, DAVID, was born August 8th, 1834, and died December 4th, 1836.

5645 V SHIRK, MARY, was born February 4th, 1837. She was married to Rev. Jacob B. Gingerich. They resided on part of the old "Shirk Homestead" opposite the village of Doon where she died May 3rd, 1866. She was blessed with one son named VI David who died in infancy.

5646 V SHIRK, VERONICA, was born August 12th,

‡ This old homestead comprises lot No. 11, Broken Front, Beasley Block, S. R.

1839. She was married to Charles Tiedt. They resided in Strasburg where she died October 28th, 1875, leaving no issue.

5647 V SHIRK, ELIZABETH, was born July 27th, 1845. She was married to Rev. Jacob B. Gingerich and resides on part of the old "Sherk Homestead." To them were born ten children, namely: VI Mary Ann, VI John (dead), VI Enoch, VI Norman, VI Dilman, VI Elizabeth Ann, VI Nancy, VI Jacob S., VI Samuel, and VI Barbara Elsina.

5648 V SHIRK, BARBARA, was born October 31st, 1847. She is unmarried and at present resides in Chicago, Illinois, where she is engaged as an evangelist among the poor, thus doing a noble work for her Master.

5649 V SHIRK, BENJAMIN, was born October 17th, 1849. He is married to Nancy, daughter of Peter and Catharine (Biehn) Baumann.† She was born May 15th, 1851. They reside about a mile north of Breslau where he is the possessor of a beautiful home. Have no family.

5650 V SHIRK, LEAH, was born November 28th, 1853, and died June 5th, 1883. She was unmarried.

5651 IV SHIRK, POLLY, was born in 1804. She was never married and had her home with her brother, David, where she died.

5652 IV SHIRK, JOSEPH, was born in May, 1809. He was married to Ann Thornton. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan, where he follows farming. To them were born eight children, namely: V Thomas, V Nancy (dead), V Dianah, V William, V

† See Nos. 499 and 500.

Joseph (dead), V Henry (dead), V William Henry (dead), and V Joseph.

5653 IV SHIRK, MAGDALENA, was born in 1812. She is married to David Codling, a farmer. They reside in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario. They have no family.

5654 IV SHIRK, SUSANNAH, was born in 1814. She was married to John Thornton, a farmer. They resided in Keokuk, Iowa, where he died, leaving no issue. She is still living and is quite well.

5655 IV SHIRK, LYDIA, was born December 28th, 1817. She was married to Morgan Thompson. They resided at Evart, Michigan, where he died. She is living yet and enjoying the best of health. Their family consists of nine children, namely: V Margaret, V Joseph, V Samuel, V John, V Cyrus, V Moses, V Caroline, V Susannah, and V Sarah.

5656 III SHIRK, CASPER, brother to old John and Joseph, was born in 1766. He came to Canada with his brother Joseph and settled in Markham Township, York County, where he died many years ago.

5657 IV †SCHERCH, JOHN, son of Andrew and Elizabeth (Steiner) Scherch, and a cousin to Rev. David Sherk, was born in Welland County, Ontario, March 5th, 1818. He was married to Magdalena Grody who was born October 15th, 1819. After their marriage they resided in Wilmot Township for some years, thence they moved to Michigan where they resided sixteen years, thence moved back to Ontario and resided in Wellesley for six years. Later in life they had their home with Mr.

† This family spell their name Scherch.

Abraham Honsperger, their son-in-law, where he died May 23rd, 1891. She is still living and is enjoying good health. To them were born five children, viz:

5658 V SCHERCH, ELIZABETH, is married to Abram Honsperger. They reside about four miles northwest of the town of Waterloo. They have a large family. See Abram Honsperger's family.

5659 V SCHERCH, AARON, was married to Mary Keller and resided in Wetzell, Michigan, where he was engaged in farming. He was killed by lightning in July, 1894. They had no family.

5660 V SCHERCH, ISABELLA, is married to Menno Bechtel. They reside in Wellesley Village where he is engaged in the saw and planing mills, also has a sash and door factory. They have a family of eight children. See Menno‡ Bechtel's family.

5661 V SCHERCH, DAVID, died single, aged 23 years, 2 months, and 18 days.

5662 V SCHERCH, MAGDALENA, is married to Louis Benneway. They reside near Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born a family of four daughters. Names were not received.

5663 SHIRK, PETER, son of Christian and Elizabeth (Hoffman) Shirk, is a native of Canarvon Township, Lancaster County, Pa., where he was born November 11th, 1839. When a young man he left his native state and went to Canada, arriving at Berlin, Ontario, May 1st, 1862. Here he had his home with his uncle, the late Jacob Hoffman in whose services he was for

‡ Since printing the Bechtel family Mr. Menno Bechtel has disposed of his farm south of New Hamburg and moved to Wellesley Village where he is now engaged as a manufacturer.

nearly two months, piling lumber and assisting in the saw mill. From here he went to the town of Waterloo and engaged himself as miller with D. H. Moyer & Co. who were then the proprietors of the Union Mills. After E. and S. S. Snider became proprietors of the mills he continued his services with the new firm until December 1st, 1866, when he purchased the Blair Mills. Here Mr. Shirk did a well paying business until December, 1869, when he sold the mills and, entering into partnership with Mr. S S. Snider of Waterloo, purchased in December of the same year (1869) the Lancaster Mills of Bridgeport where he has since been engaged very extensively in manufacturing patent and high grade flour. In 1887 Mr. Snider retired from the firm, thus leaving Mr. Shirk sole proprietor of the extensive business. In connection with the Lancaster Mills, Mr. Shirk is also proprietor of the Baden Mills which he purchased from Mr. James Livingstone in 1889. Mr. Shirk commenced life as a farmer's boy and being possessed with but little of this world's substance, he, by energy and perseverance and being naturally gifted with first class business qualities, besides having a good character, gradually worked his way up from one position to another and is now rated as one of our well-to-do millers* of the province. Of late years he has been identified with public life and has held prominent positions of honor and trust, thus proving for himself a record of which no one has any need of feeling ashamed. On June 5th, 1866, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of John and Anna (Weber) Martin. She was born March 2nd, 1845. They reside in Bridgeport, Ontario. To them were born the following children, viz:

5664 SHIRK, ANNA, the eldest, was born February 4th, 1868. She is married to William Kraft, a farmer. They reside about two miles east of Breslau. To them are born four children, namely: Ivan, Almon, Clayton, and Wilson.

5665 SHIRK, GEORGE, was born April 4th, 1870. He

* See his rating in the Mercantile Agency for the Dominion of Canada by R. G. Dun & Co.

is married to Alvina Snyder. They reside in Bridgeport where he is engaged as miller in his father's mills. To them is born one child, a daughter named Elma who was born October 6th, 1894.

5666 SHIRK, EMMA, was born January 21st, 1872.

5667 SHIRK, ELIZABETH, was born February 15th, 1874, and died January 10th, 1875.

5668 SHIRK, CATHARINE, was born March 20th, 1875.

5669 SHIRK, MARTIN, was born June 21st, 1876.

5670 SHIRK, MAGDALENA, was born April 3rd, 1878.

5671 SHIRK, JOHN, was born March 13th, 1880, and died January 11th, 1881.

5672 SHIRK, MARIA, was born June 10th, 1881.

5673 SHIRK, NOAH, was born January 31st, 1884.

5674 SHIRK, LYDIA, was born April 9th, 1885.

5675 SHIRK, VERONICA, was born January 22nd, 1887, and died May 1st, 1891.

5676 SHIRK, BARBARA, was born May 5th, 1889.

5677 SHIRK, LEHMON,† son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Good) Shirk, was born in Canarvon Township, Lancaster County, December 20th, 1860. On November 8th, 1877, he came to Canada and made his home with Mr. Peter Shirk where he served his apprenticeship as miller. After having served his apprenticeship he remained in the services of Mr. Shirk until November, 1890, when he received the appointment of head miller of the German Mills by the proprietors, William Snider & Co., in whose employment he has been up to the present. On June 10th, 1885, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Aaron and Mary (Snider) Kraft. To them are born two children, viz:

† Nephew to Peter Shirk of Bridgeport, Ontario.

5678 SHIRK, LAURA MAY, born August 14th, 1886.

5679 SHIRK, VERA DELL, born January 22nd, 1892.

5680 II SHERK, DANIEL, son of John and Elizabeth (Fretz) Sherk, was born near Sherkston, Welland County, Ontario, April 7th, 1806. He was married to Susannah, daughter of Frederick Philip and Nancy (DeMoss) Herner. She was born August 9th, 1817, and died May 12th, 1886. Soon after their marriage they moved on a farm about two miles north of New Dundee where he died January 26th, 1858. His family consisted of eleven children, viz:

5681 III SHERK, VERONICA, the eldest in the family, resides near Bluevale, Huron County, Ontario. She is not married and has her home with her sister, Mary.

5682 III SHERK, ELIZABETH, was married to George Couzens, a farmer. They resided in Elma, Perth County, Ontario, where she died May 9th, 1863, leaving a family of two sons named IV Isaac and IV Charles.

5683 III SHERK, REUBEN, was born February 4th, 1840. On March 8th, 1864, he was married to Leah B., daughter of John and Sallie (Bergey) Hallman. She was born October 13th, 1844. They reside about one mile south of Strasburg where he is engaged in farming. To them was born the following family, viz:

5684 IV SHERK, EVA H., was born June 23rd, 1866. She is married to Daniel Wilhelm, an agent. They reside at New Hamburg, Ontario, and have a family of three children, namely: V Waldemar, V Morgan, and V Russell.

5685 IV SHERK, MARIA H., was born September

15th, 1867. She is married to James Haws. They reside several miles south of Haysville, Ontario. To them is born one child named V Mabel.

5686 IV SHERK, BENJAMIN H., was born June 19th, 1869. He is married to Barbara Rhodes. They reside on the old "Sherk Place," two miles north of New Dundee where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of two children, namely: V Lelora and V Lorne.

5687 IV SHERK, DANIEL H., was born May 9th, 1870, and died November 8th, 1870.

5688 IV SHERK, JOHN H., twin brother to Daniel, was born May 9th, 1870. He is married to Ida Erb and resides on his father's place near Strasburg where he is engaged in farming. To them is born one child named V Perlous.

5689 IV SHERK, SIMON H., was born December 11th, 1871, and died* October 18th, 1888.

5690 IV SHERK, ANGELINE H., was born March 30th, 1873. She is unmarried and has her home at Rev. Noah Stauffer's.

5691 IV SHERK, WILLIAM H., was born October 27th, 1874. At present he is at Manitou, Manitoba, where he is engaged on a farm.

5692 IV SHERK, DAVID H., was born March 29th, 1876, and died April 11th, 1876.

5693 IV SHERK, EPHRAIM H., was born April 10th, 1877, and died March 16th, 1878.

5694 IV SHERK, ELMINA H., was born May 3rd, 1879.

* He was accidentally killed while picking apples. He was standing on a wagon to which was hitched a team. The team started and he lost his balance and fell either between the wagon and the tree or between the wagon and the ladder lying lengthwise on the wagon. He was struck on the side and chest, causing instant death. When found he was lying across the tongue of the wagon. No one seems to know exactly how it happened.

5695 IV SHERK, NORMAN A., was born September 12th, 1881, and died May 30th, 1882.

5696 IV SHERK, SALLY ANN H., was born March 16th, 1883, and died April 10th, 1883.

5697 IV SHERK, VANELLA H., was born October 19th, 1888.

5698 III SHERK, SALLY ANN, is married to Fletcher Couzens, a wage earner. They reside in Elma, Perth County, Ontario. To them are born three sons, namely: IV Jared, IV Ira, and IV George.

5699 III SHERK, JEREMIAH, resides in Wilmot Township and has his home at Ezra Cressman's. He is not married.

5700 III SHERK, CYRUS, is married and resides in South Dakota where he is engaged in farming.

5701 III SHERK, HANNAH, is married to William Near, a farmer. They reside near Iowa City, Iowa.

5702 III SHERK, MOSES, is married and resides in South Dakota where he is engaged in farming.

5703 III SHERK, JOHN, is married and is a resident of South Dakota where he is engaged in farming.

5704 III SHERK, NANCY, died, aged some thirty years. She was never married.

5705 III SHERK, MARY, the youngest child of Daniel and Susannah (Herner) Sherk, is married to James Nicholson. They reside near Bluevale, Huron County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

SCHIEDEL.

5706 I SCHIEDEL, HANNES, the ancestor of all the Schiedels of this county, was born in Wurtenberg, Germany, about the year 1775. In 1815 he with his wife and family emigrated to America and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where they died, leaving a family* of several children. The names of two of the sons were II John and II Martin who were the only members of the family that settled in Canada. Their descendants are as follows, viz:

5707 II SCHIEDEL, JOHN, was born in Wurtenberg, Germany, September 28th, 1802. When thirteen years of age he with his parents came to America and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where he was raised. In 1824 he was married to Mary Kuehler, a native of Montgomery County. In 1841 they moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, a few miles east of Elmira where they resided until 1861 then they moved to Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan, where they followed farming. She died in 1881 and he died January 25th, 1885. To them was born a numerous family, viz:

5708 III SHIEDEL, JOSHUA, the eldest, was married to Eliza Hewitt. They resided in Wilmot Township, about two miles south of Petersburg, Ontario, where he died about the year 1870. She is still living and resides with her son, Elijah. To them were born seven children, viz:

5709 IV SHIEDEL, MARY ANN, is married to Simon Yost, a grocer. They reside in Berlin.

5710 IV SHIEDEL, JOHN, is married to Florence Harper. He resides near Benton Harbor, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

* Since writing the above it has been ascertained that there were two more sons, viz: Jacob and Frederick who remained in Pennsylvania.

5711 IV SHIEDEL, ALLAN, is married to Catharine Schaefer. He resides near New Hamburg, Ontario, where he is farming.

5712 IV SHIEDEL, LUCINDA, was married to a Mr. Messenger, a farmer. They resided near Chase, Michigan, where she died in 1887.

5713 IV SHIEDEL, NORMAN, is married and resides in Cleveland, Ohio, where he is engaged in the wire works.

5714 IV SHIEDEL, ELIJAH, is married to Amanda Martin. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in business.

5715 IV SHIEDEL, RACHEL, is married to William Bowden, a tailor. They reside in New Dundee, Ontario.

5716 III SHIEDEL, CATHARINE, was born November 24th, 1826. She was married to Henry Moyer. They resided about two miles south of Breslau where she died April 28th, 1871. See Henry Moyer's family.

5717 III SHIEDEL, SARAH ANN, was married to Rev. Samuel S. Sherk. They reside near Caledonia, Michigan. See Rev. Samuel S. Shirk's family.

5718 III SHIEDEL, MARY ANN, is married to Rev. John Stumpf. They reside at Tonawanda, New York. Their family is as follows, namely: IV John (dead), IV Catharine, IV Christina, IV Daniel, IV Louis, IV Benjamin, IV Samuel, IV Helen, IV Lydia, IV Amanda, and IV Clarence.

5719 III SHIEDEL, JACOB, is married and resides at

Remus, Michigan. where he is engaged in farming. He has a family of one daughter named IV Angeline.

5720 III SHIEDEL, JOHN, is married to a Miss Smith. They reside at Remus, Michigan, where he is farming. Their family consists of two children, namely: IV Matilda (dead) and IV William.

5721 III SHIEDEL, WILLIAM, is married to Louisa Reichert. They reside at Remus, Michigan, and have a family as follows, namely: IV Jacob, IV Samuel, IV Noah, IV Louisa, IV Sarah, IV Gertrude, and IV Rachel.

5722 III SHIEDEL, ABRAHAM, died unmarried.

5723 III SHIEDEL, HENRY, resides near Caledonia, Michigan, where he is farming. He was first married to a Miss Dettweiler and after her decease he was married a second time but name of wife was not received. He has a numerous family but the names of only five children were received, namely: IV John, IV Susannah, IV Mary Ann, IV Esther, and IV Annie.

5724 III SHIEDEL, ELIZABETH, is married to John Stange. They reside at Big Rapids, Michigan, and have a family of several children but names were not received.

5725 III SHIEDEL, SAMUEL, is married to Barbara Adams. They reside near Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is farming. Their family consists of four children.

5726 III SHIEDEL, CAROLINE, was first married to Henry Fullweiler and after his death to a Mr. Canon. They reside at Big Rapids, Michigan, and have a family of four children.

5727 II SCHIEDEL, MARTIN, was born September 2nd, 1796. On March 17th, 1825, he was married to Susannah Ries who was born March 21st, 1796, and died December 13th, 1872. In 1825† they, in company with the Clemmers, Clemenses, and others, moved to Canada and settled near Breslau, Ontario, where they resided until their deaths. He died April 28th, 1863, leaving a family of eight children, viz:

5728 III SCHIEDEL, CATHARINE, was born November 21st, 1825. She was married to John Cressman and after his decease to Jacob Zeller, a farmer. They resided about a mile south of Breslau where he died. She now resides in Breslau. See Jacob Zeller's family.

5729 III SCHIEDEL, SARAH, was born December 22nd, 1826. She is married to Philip Zeller, a farmer. See Philip Zeller's family.

5730 III SCHIEDEL, HANNAH, was born March 15th, 1828. She is married to Rev. Jacob Woolner. See Rev. Jacob Woolner's family.

5731 III SCHIEDEL, SUSANNAH, was born January 7th, 1830. She was married to Henry Reist. They resided in Michigan where she died in 1871, leaving a family of four children, namely: IV Angeline, IV Ephraim, IV Nancy, and IV Sarah.

5732 III SCHIEDEL, JOHN, was born February 9th, 1832. He was married to Hannah Miller who was born November 22nd, 1831. They resided near Kossuth, Ontario, where they possess a beautiful farm. Some time ago they retired from farming and made their home with their daughter, Catharine. Some twenty years ago he was ordained a

† About a month after their marriage.

deacon of the Mennonite Church for the Cressman and Wanner fields of labor. To them were born five children, viz:

5733 IV SCHIEDEL, MENNO, was born June 11th, 1857. He is married to Mary Hefkey and resides near Rev. Jacob Woolner's farm, one mile west of Kossuth. To them are born four children, namely: V Lanson, V John, V Ida May, and V Allan.

5734 IV SCHIEDEL, AMOS, was born May 8th, 1861. He is married to Mary Dettweiler. They reside near his brother Menno's farm and have one child named V Hannah.

5735 IV SCHIEDEL, SARAH ANN, was born August 14th, 1863. She is married to Samuel Wiles. They reside in Arran Township, Bruce County, Ontario, near Elsinore P. O. They have a family of three children, namely: V Herbert Ira, V Edith Hannah, and V Elmina.

5736 IV SCHIEDEL, CATHARINE, was born January 6th, 1867. She is married to Menno Bearinger, a farmer. They reside three miles north-west of Waterloo and have a family of one child named V Hannah.

5737 IV SCHIEDEL, ISAAC, was born April 5th, 1870. He is married to Susannah Ernst and resides on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. They have one child named V Laura Maude.

5738 III SCHIEDEL, JACOB, was born April 10th, 1834. On March 17th, 1857, he was married to Magdalena Miller who was born October 13th, 1833, and died April 22nd, 1872. On April 13th, 1873, he was again married to Magdalena

Bechtel who was born October 21st, 1851. In 1882 they left the old "Schiedel Farm" and moved to Shantz Station where they resided until 1886 when they moved to Breslau where they still reside. His family consisted of thirteen children,† viz:

5739 IV SCHIEDEL, ESTHER, was born July 14th, 1858. She is married to Abraham S. Weber, a farmer. They reside near Breslau. See Abraham S. Weber's family.

5740 IV SCHIEDEL, SIMON, was born December 18th, 1859. He was first married to Lydia Ann Weber and after her decease to Mary Schroeder. He is a farmer and resides about a mile north-east of Breslau. His family consists of three children, namely: V Wesley W. and V Myra W. of first wife, and V Cannith (dead) of second wife.

5741 IV SCHIEDEL, AARON, was born April 10th, 1861. He is married to Nancy Weber and resides in Breslau where he is engaged on the railroad as section man. His family consists of four children, namely: V Alvin, V Ida, V Eva, and V Rosilla.

5742 IV SCHIEDEL, SUSANNAH, was born November 20th, 1862. She is married to Louis Kramp. They reside in Berlin and have one child named V Wesley.

5743 IV SCHIEDEL, JACOB M., was born October 15th, 1864. He is married to Samantha Shantz. They reside in Breslau and have two children, namely: V Roy and V Shannon.

5744 IV SCHIEDEL, EPHRAIM, was born February 20th, 1866. He is married to Susannah Clemens. They reside in Berlin and have three children, namely: V Glenn, V Mahlon, and V Ralph.

† The eldest six were of first wife.

5745 IV SCHIEDEL, ABRAHAM B., was born January 15th, 1874.

5746 IV SCHIEDEL, ISAAC B., was born January 29th, 1875.

5747 IV SCHIEDEL, ALLAN B., was born January 28th, 1879.

5748 IV SCHIEDEL, ERVINE B., was born September 4th, 1880.

5749 IV SCHIEDEL, ISRAEL B., was born January 28th, 1882.

5750 IV SCHIEDEL, ISAIAH B., was born September 19th, 1883.

5751 IV SCHIEDEL, NORMAN B., was born April 11th, 1888.

5752 III SCHIEDEL, ISAAC, was born November 10th, 1836. He is married to Maggie Rogers and resides in Big Rapids, Michigan, where he is the proprietor of a large hotel. To them were born three children, namely: IV Simeon (dead), IV Charles Serenus, and IV Margaret.

5753 III SCHIEDEL, NOAH, the youngest son of Martin and Susannah (Ries) Schiedel, was born on the old "Schiedel Farm" near Breslau, June 15th, 1839. After spending his boyhood on the old farm he, at the age of sixteen years, commenced life as a clerk with Messrs Yost & Wideman of St. Jacobs, in whose services he remained one year, thence he went to Elmira and engaged himself to Rev. Philip Winkler in whose store he was clerking for three years. Upon leaving Elmira he entered into partnership with his brother Isaac and started business in Breslau where he remained one year. After leaving Breslau he was engaged in Bridgeport and later in Baden where he was in business for five years, and finally he returned to

Bridgeport where he is doing a well paying business in manufacturing brooms. On August 6th, 1859, he was married to Nancy Ferrier who was born August 29th, 1841. Their home is the old "Peter N. Taggie Residence" which property he purchased in 1872. To them are born nine children, viz:

5754 IV SCHIEDEL, MARTIN, was born July 7th, 1860. On September 15th, 1886, he was married to Katie Lutz. They reside in Bridgeport where he is engaged as book-keeper with Messrs Shirk & Snider, millers, Bridgeport, Ontario.

5755 IV SCHIEDEL, CYRUS, was born February 14th, 1862. On April 8th, 1885, he was married to Emma Hoffman. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged as book-keeper with Wm. Snider & Co. To them is born one son named V Wilfrid Hoffman.

5756 IV SCHIEDEL, JOHN, was born July 17th, 1864. He is engaged in manufacturing brooms in his father's factory, Bridgeport.

5757 IV SCHIEDEL, ROBERT F., was born November 21st, 1866. He is a tinsmith by trade and is at present engaged in St. Jacobs, manufacturing the Dobbin Drum.

5758 IV SCHIEDEL, T. ANDREW, was born May 12th, 1869. He is a broom manufacturer and is engaged in his father's factory at Bridgeport. On September 4th, 1895, he was married to Hattie Gauntley. They reside on Queen Street East, Berlin, near the G. T. R. crossing.

5759 IV SCHIEDEL, ALICE A., was born January 8th, 1872. She is still at home and assisting her mother in performing the many duties connected with domestic life.

5760 IV SCHIEDEL, PHILIP A., was born January 2nd, 1875. He is engaged as a wood-carver with D. Hibner & Co., Berlin, Ontario.

5761 IV SCHIEDEL, ABRAM A., was born May 12th, 1877. He is with Mr. E. Devitt, druggist and chemist, Waterloo, preparing himself for a druggist and chemist.

5762 IV SCHIEDEL, HERBERT N., was born September 22nd, 1881. He is attending the public school at present.

SCHLICHTER.

5763 II SCHLICHTER, CHRISTIAN,† was a native of Switzerland, where he was born in 1761. He emigrated to America with his two elder brothers, Daniel* and John,* and settled in Franklin County, Pennsylvania. His brother, Daniel, who was born in 1759, settled in the same locality but the descendants of John settled in New York State. Christian was married to Mary Wanderbach and had a family of five children. Some time during the beginning of the present century he, together with his wife and family, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, a little north of Preston on the place known as "Green's Farm" where they died not many years after their coming to this country. To them were born the following children, viz:

5764 III SCHLICHTER, JOHN, the eldest in the family, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania,

† From some source of the Schlichter family the writer was informed that the father of old Christian, Daniel and John was Daniel and that they were members of the Mennonite Church.

* None of the descendants of Daniel and John are in Canada.

October 10th, 1787. He was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Gabel) Bechtel. She was born November 24th, 1795, and died February 1st, 1876. They resided on a farm‡ one mile east of New Dundee, Ontario, where he died August 12th, 1849, leaving a family of eleven children, viz:

5765 IV SCHLICHTER, MARY, was married to W. B. Baldwin and resided in Michigan for many years. Some years ago he moved to Iowa where he died. She died in Michigan.

5766 IV SCHLICHTER, ELIZABETH, was born January 4th, 1818, and died September 11th, 1891. She was married to Christian D. Rosenberger. See Christian D. Rosenberger's family.

5767 IV SCHLICHTER, JACOB, is married to Catharine Huber. They reside in Chicago, Illinois, where he is engaged in business. To them is born the following family, namely: V William, V Henry (dead), V David, V Fannie, V Laura, V John, V Frederick, V Novella, and V Charles.

5768 IV SCHLICHTER, REV. SAMUEL, was born October 17th, 1821. He was first married to Catharine Detweiler who was born March 12th, 1825, and died March 4th, 1860. After her decease he was married to Mary Break who was born July 16th, 1832, and died December 16th, 1889. They resided near New Dundee, on his father's old place. About the year 1852 he was ordained minister of the old Mennonite Church but in 1854 or 1855 when a division of that body took place, he went with the new party of which body he was a noble worker. As a minister he was sincere and a diligent worker in the cause of his Master. When the death summons called him away, the church lost one of its ablest men. He died July 17th,

‡ Now owned by John McDonald.

1873. His family consisted of ten children, of whom the eldest four were born unto his first wife. Their names are as follows:

5769 V SCHLICHTER, EMMA, is married to Benjamin Huber. They reside in Berlin. See Benjamin Huber's family.

5770 V SCHLICHTER, JACOB, is married to Lizzie Bergey. They reside at Brown City, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

5771 V SCHLICHTER, JOHN, a gardener, is married to Elizabeth Hallman. They reside near Hespeler, Ontario.

5772 V SCHLICHTER, SAMUEL D., was married to Alice Elsley. They resided near Brown City, Michigan, where he died February 15th, 1895.

5773 V SCHLICHTER, WESLEY B., is married to Mary Kummer and resides at Brown City, Michigan, where he is engaged in the ministry of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ. Up to the present he has proved himself to be an able revivalist and has done much in augmenting the membership of the church for which he labors.

5774 V SCHLICHTER, SIMON, is married to a Miss Schwartz. They reside at Brown City, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

5775 V SCHLICHTER, ALLAN, is married to Hattie Bates. They reside at Brown City, Michigan, where he is farming.

5776 V SCHLICHTER, ABRAM, was born April 30th, 1847, and died August 17th, 1849.

5777 V SCHLICHTER, AMANDA and LIBBIE, are unmarried.

5778 IV SCHLICHTER, CATHARINE, was born August 3rd, 1823, and died June 12th, 1886. She was married to John Huber. See John Huber's family.

5779 IV SCHLICHTER, MAGDALENA, was born June 26th, 1825, and is married to Deacon John Z. Detweiler. See Nos. 2204 to 2214.

5780 IV SCHLICHTER, HANNAH, was first married to Jacob Z. Detweiler and after his death to Christian D. Rosenberger. See Nos. 2215 to 2222 and Christian D. Rosenberger's family.

5781 IV SCHLICHTER, NANCY, is married to Rev. Wendell Hallman. See Rev. Wendell Hallman's family.

5782 IV SCHLICHTER, SARAH, was married to Jonas Scoefield. They resided in West McGillivray, Middlesex County, Ontario, where she died some time ago.

5783 IV SCHLICHTER, SUSANNAH, is married to John Hillgartner. They reside in Carrick, Bruce County, Ontario.

5784 IV SCHLICHTER, JOHN B., is married to Hannah Bristow. They reside in Sterling, Kansas.

5785 III SCHLICHTER, HENRY, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, in 1789. He was married to Barbara Wismer and came to Canada with his parents. They settled near Preston where he died of cholera, August 11th, 1834, and she died August 10th, 1834, of the same dreaded disease, aged 42 years. To them were born three children, viz:

5786 IV SCHLICHTER, DANIEL, the eldest son of Henry and Barbara Schlichter, was born March

17th, 1812. He was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Peter and Veronica (Souder) Huber. She was born October 28th, 1811, and died July 19th, 1882. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario, about three miles south-west of New Dundee, where he died August 2nd, 1845. Their family consisted of seven children, viz:

5787 V SCHLICHTER, JOHN, died aged about 4 years.

5788 V SCHLICHTER, FANNIE, died aged about 23 years.

5789 V SCHLICHTER, ELIZABETH, is married to David Hagey. They reside at Preston where he is engaged in the foundry.

5790 V SCHLICHTER, ISAAC, died aged about 18 years.

5791 V SCHLICHTER, HANNAH, is married to Henry Gildner, a farmer. They reside near Gorrie, Huron County, Ontario. They have no family.

5792 V SCHLICHTER, JACOB, is married to Elizabeth Hagey. They reside about three miles south-west of New Dundee, in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of nine children, namely: VI Sarah, VI Daniel, VI Henry, VI Edwin, VI Naomi, VI Annie, VI Evangeline, VI Mary, and VI Cora.

5793 V SCHLICHTER, BENJAMIN, is married to Elizabeth Clemens. They reside in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, near Washington where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of four children, namely: VI Sarah Jane (dead), VI William, VI Herbert, and VI Charles.

5794 IV SCHLICHTER, HANNAH, a native of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, was married to John Stauffer. They resided a little south of Haysville where she died. See John Stauffer's family.

5795 IV SCHLICHTER, MARY, a native of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, was married to Christian Huber. They resided near Thedford, Lambton County, Ontario, where they both died. See Christian Huber's family.

5796 III SCHLICHTER, HANNAH, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, December 18th, 1798, and on April 23rd, 1818, she was married to Henry Wismer who was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, December 20th, 1789, and died at Blair, Ontario, in 1854. She died June 26th, 1878. See Henry Wismer's family.

5797 III SCHLICHTER, SAMUEL W., was born in 1800 and was married to Maria Strome who was born January 18th, 1803, and died May 11th, 1838. They resided in North Dumfries Township, Waterloo County, where he died March 5th, 1842, leaving one daughter named Mary who was married and resided at Hespeler, Ontario. Some years ago they moved to Port Elgin where her husband died.

5798 III SCHLICHTER, BENJAMIN, the youngest in the family, was born September 15th, 1805. He was never married and had his home with Jacob Z. Detweiler at Blair where he died July 20th, 1876.

SCHMIDT.

5799 II SCHMIDT, REV. GEORGE R., son of John and Catharine (Riehl) Schmidt, was born in Muhlhausen, Alsace, November 23rd, 1809, and died September 12th, 1882. His death was caused by the upsetting of his buggy, at the railway crossing a little east of Baden, from which he received injuries proving fatal a few hours after its happening. He had an older brother named John and a sister named Catharine. His parents suffered greatly during the wars of Napoleon I and again during the year 1817 when there was almost a total failure of crops in Europe and America, thus causing a great scarcity of food for both man and beast. During these trials the father died. His death took place in August, 1817. In 1819 the mother was married again to Jacob Linhart. After the old homestead which the father had erected was sold, the parents moved to a place called Bischols, some miles distant from their former home. The second union was blessed with four children, named Jacob, Margaret, Christian, and Maria. On March 6th, 1828, they left the old country and emigrated to America and arrived at Buffalo, New York, on May 6th of same year. From Buffalo they came to Canada where the father rented a farm. The two sons, John and George, worked among the neighbors to earn money to assist their step-father. In January, 1829, these two sons with but 50 cents money in their pockets, made a journey on foot of over 100 miles. They came to Waterloo† where John engaged himself to Jacob Schneider* for one year and George engaged himself to Joseph Goldschmitt of Baden for 3 months at the rate of $8.00 per month. He worked on the saw mills situated where now the Baden woollen mills are. After being in the county for several months he returned home with his and his brother John's wages. This money was given to their parents. In October, 1829, he returned to Waterloo and engaged himself to Rev. Benjamin Eby

† Their parents resided in Welland County, not very far from Buffalo.
* Farmer and miller at Waterloo.

for one year at the rate of $10.00 per month. Later on he and his brother John purchased lots Nos. 12 and 13, in the township of Wilmot, consisting of four hundred acres, of which they gave one hundred acres to their father. George was engaged in clearing land for various parties at the rate of $10.00 per acre. In August, 1831, he returned home where he was married on the 14th day of the same month to Salome Becker. After his marriage he again came to Waterloo and finished the "chops" he had commenced the previous spring. In October he and his brother John who had been in the services of Jacob Schneider for several years, returned home, George to fetch his wife and John to get married to the woman of his choice, namely, Margaret Roth who resided in Buffalo. This marriage took place in November, 1831. In 1832 they all returned to their farms in Wilmot Township where the mother died in July, 1851, aged 68 years. Catharine, the only sister of George and John Schmidt, was born March 25th, 1814, and was married December 25th, 1835, to Martin Anthes. She had a family of five children, of whom three are still living. John was born November 1st, 1806, and died March 12th, 1882. He had a family of twelve children, of whom seven are still living. George was ordained minister of the church of his choice, the Mennonite, April 12th, 1840. He was a true and faithful worker for His Master. Many an eloquent sermon did he preach and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. It proved a great loss to the church to lose such an active and able worker as he was, but let us hope that our earthly loss may prove to be his eternal gain. He was married to Salome Becker who was born February 28th, 1811, and died November 21st, 1887. They had a family of thirteen children, viz:

5800 III SCHMIDT, CATHERINE, was born November 8th, 1832. She is married to Herman Bendler and resides on a farm in Kent County, Michigan. They have a family of eight children.

5801 III SCHMIDT, ELIAS, was born March 3rd, 1834, and died August 15th, 1834.

5802 III SCHMIDT, JOHN, was born June 30th, 1835. He was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Hallman, and after her decease to Magdalena, daughter of John Hallman. The first union was blessed with eight children, three of whom are dead, and with second wife there were five children. In 1893 he sold his farm in Wilmot Township and purchased the old homestead of the late Isaac Eby, two miles east of Berlin.

5803 III SCHMIDT, MARIA, was born February 6th, 1837. She is married to Abraham, son of Joseph Hallman. They reside on a farm in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, and have a family of eleven children.

5804 III SCHMIDT, SALOME, was born April 27th, 1838. She was first married to Joseph, son of Joseph B. Hallman with whom she had two children. After his decease she was married to Rev. Moses Erb. They reside in Berlin. See Joseph B. Hallman's family.

5805 III SCHMIDT, GEORGE, was born January 30th, 1840. He is married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob Brubacher. They reside in Woolwich Township, a little south-west of St. Jacobs. Their family consists of three children.

5806 III SCHMIDT, LEAH, was born October 24th, 1841. She is married to Peter, son of the late Rev. Abraham M. Weber. They reside one mile east of Berlin, on a beautiful farm. They have one son.

5807 III SCHMIDT, BENJAMIN, was born December 8th, 1843, and died March 7th, 1854.

5808 III SCHMIDT, JACOB, was born November 28th,

1845. He was married to Magdalena, daughter of Christian Schneider, and after her decease he was married to Catharine, daughter of Simon Shantz. With the first wife he had a family of nine children and with the second wife there is one child. He resides on the old homestead.

5809 III SCHMIDT, DAVID, was born October 13th, 1847. He is married to Leah Eshelman and resides on a farm near Manheim.

5810 III SCHMIDT, SAMUEL, was born February 13th, 1850, and died April 3rd, 1854.

5811 III SCHMIDT, LYDIA, was born February 19th, 1853, and died March 7th, 1854.

5812 III SCHMIDT, MAGDALENA, was born September 10th, 1855. She is married to Simon, son of Abram Cressman. They reside on a farm near Washington, Blenheim Township, Oxford County, and have had one daughter but she died some time ago.

SCHNEIDER.

In examining the "Colonial Records" of Philadelphia we find that quite a number of Schneiders came from various parts of central Europe and settled in Pennsylvania. In volume No. 4, page 59, we find that one hundred and fifty emigrants from the Palatinate (Pfaltz) and other places of Europe came in the vessel "Harle" of London. Among this number we find the progenitor, Johannes Schneider. These together with old "Hannes" (Jo-

hannes) were qualified, i. e. because citizens of Pennsylvania and subject to the Crown, His Majesty King George II, in September, 1736. Johannes Schneider or, as tradition has it, Johannes Jacob Schneider, to distinguish him from his relative who happened to have the same name, Jacob being added to know that he was Jacob's (his father's name) "Hans" and not Michael's (his uncle's) "Hans,"* was born about the year 1697. To whom he was married cannot be ascertained at so late a date. Owing to his strict adherence to the Protestant faith he was subjected to the same tests and fiery persecutions as what his co-religionists were. Early in the year 1736† he left his native home and set sail, with others, for London, England, thence to America where they landed in August of the same year and were naturalized a few days later. In September he with his wife and family moved to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they settled on a large tract of land. When old Johannes Schneider died is not known, neither what number of children he had. We know of two sons, Jacob and Christian. There may have been others but the descendants of Jacob never knew of more than Christian.

5813 I SCHNEIDER, JACOB, was born in the Palatinate, in 1727 or 1730, came to this country when a mere lad and was raised in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. When some twenty years of age he was married to a Maria Herschi (now Hershey), a descendant of Andrew Hershey who settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1719. This marriage took place on April 1st, 1755. They had a family of fifteen children, viz:

5814 II SCHNEIDER, BARBARA, was born February 16th, 1756. She was married to Christian Ehrhart. They resided in the neighborhood of Sporting Hill, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where she died March 15th, 1821, leaving a family of six children.

* From Benjamin Eby's notes.
† Some have it 1739 but Records prove three years earlier.

5815 II SCHNEIDER, ANNIE, was born March 21st, 1757, and died March 30th, 1757.

5816 II SCHNEIDER, CHRISTIAN, was born August 28th, 1758. In 1789 he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Christian and Maria (Scherch) Erb (See No. 2777). She was born in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, January 23rd, 1770, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, September 29th, 1818. In 1806 they, in company with others, emigrated to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near where now is the village of Doon. Here he resided for a number of years. It was his intention to construct a dam across the creek flowing through his plantation and have a grist mill erected thereon. But in order to have the desired "head of water" he found that the "back water" would flood a few acres of Mr. Biehn's swamp adjoining that of his (Mr. Schneider's) property. This, although worth nothing, or comparatively little, Mr. Biehn would not sell to Mr. Schneider and thus prevented the building of a grist mill. Mr. Schneider died August 6th, 1850, leaving a family of eleven children, viz:

5817 III SNIDER, JACOB C., was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, February 19th, 1791. On July 21st, 1812, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of John and Anna (Schowalter) Cressman. She was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, June 10th, 1791, and died in Waterloo, Ontario, January 12th, 1879. Soon after his marriage he moved on his farm a little to the west of the town of Waterloo where he resided until his death. Not many years after his arrival in Waterloo County he purchased the mill property belonging to the estate of Abraham Erb. Here he was engaged, besides farming, in the milling and saw-mill business and later erected the distillery. He died June 19th, 1865, leaving a family of nine children, viz:

5818 IV SNIDER, MARY, was born May 19th, 1813, and died November 9th, 1813.

5819 IV SNIDER, REV. ELIAS, was born September 3rd, 1815. In his boyhood days he took great interest in his

father's business. By the time he was twenty-one years of age he was not only a practical miller but also a thorough business man. In 1851 he purchased from the late Barnabas Devitt the large farm containing 310 acres of land for £1500 and in 1853 he purchased the large grist mills now in possession of Wm. Snider & Co., together with 320 acres of land for £3500. In 1854 he again sold the large real estate in the town of Waterloo and purchased the "Musselman Farm" about one mile north of Waterloo, to which place he then moved. In 1860 he purchased the German Mills together with 669 acres of land. The same year he, in company with Samuel S. Schneider, regained possession of the Waterloo Mills and continued in business until 1879 when they sold out to the present proprietors. Mr. Snider now retired from business. On November 10th, 1835, he was married to Hannah, daughter of John and Hannan (Bergey) Bingeman. She was born August 1st, 1815, and died December 23rd, 1893. In 1874 Mr. Snider was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite body which position he held until his death which took place April 24th, 1890. His family consisted of twelve children, viz:

5820 V SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born November 29th, 1836. On November 9th, 1858, she was married to Menno S. Shantz and died January 28th, 1893. See Deacon Menno S. Shantz's family.

5821 V SNIDER, MARY, was born April 7th, 1838. On February 9th, 1858, she was married to Aaron Kraft. See Aaron Kraft's family.

5822 V SNIDER, ISRAEL, was born August 17th, 1839. On October 16th, 1860, he was married to Veronica Martin who was born January 27th, 1843, and died June 7th, 1878. On January 14th, 1879, he was again married to Mary Baetz who was born October 15th, 1858. At present Mr. Snider resides near Crosshill, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of sixteen children, of whom the eldest eight were born unto his first wife. Their names are as follows:

5823 VI SNIDER, NOAH, was born August 10th, 1862, and died October 8th, 1862.

5824 VI SNIDER, NANCY, was born August 24th, 1863. She is married to Moses U. Clemens. See No. 1877.

5825 VI SNIDER, HANNAH, was born October 11th, 1865. She is married to Daniel E. Shantz. See Daniel E. Shantz's family.

5826 VI SNIDER, VERONICA, was born November 30th, 1867. She is married to Henry B. Betzner. See No. 930.

5827 VI SNIDER, ISAIAH, was born March 26th, 1870. He is married to Ova Bechtel. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in teaming.

5828 VI SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born February 2nd, 1872. She is married to Frederick Frosch, a wage-earner. They reside at Centreville, near Freeport.

5829 VI SNIDER, ELIAS, was born August 2nd, 1873, and died March 23rd, 1878.

5830 VI SNIDER, MARY ANN, was born December 12th, 1876. She is unmarried and resides with her sister Hannah (Mrs. Daniel E. Shantz).

5831 VI SNIDER, SYLVESTER, was born December 3rd, 1879, and died March 24th, 1880.

5832 VI SNIDER, JACOB, born December 2nd, 1880.

5833 VI SNIDER, NELSON, born June 22nd, 1882.

5834 VI SNIDER, ALDON, born November 3rd, 1883.

5835 VI SNIDER, ALBERTA, born September 8, 1885.

5836 VI SNIDER, ISRAEL, born February 8th, 1887.

5837 VI SNIDER, ELENORA, born May 9th, 1889.

5838 VI SNIDER, ALICE, born December 12th, 1891.

5839 V SNIDER, ISAAC B., was born January 13th, 1841. On March 17th, 1861, he was married to Nancy Sitler who was born February 16th, 1840, and died March 28th, 1890. Mr. Snider is a farmer and resides at German Mills. His family consists of the following children, viz:

5840 VI SNIDER, ALLAN, was born October 29th, 1861. On January 2nd, 1887, he was married to Annie Schroder. He is a miller by trade and resides in Waterloo where he is engaged in the Union Mills. His family consists of three children, namely: VII Nelson, VII Arabella, and VII Ralph Alto.

5841 VI SNIDER, VILLINA, was born August 24th, 1863. On October 21st, 1884, she was married to Jacob S. Cressman. See No. 2175.

5842 VI SNIDER, SUSANNAH, was born May 3rd, 1865. She is unmarried and is at home.

5843 VI SNIDER, LEANDER S., was born September 20th, 1867. He is at home on the farm and unmarried.

5844 VI SNIDER, NANCY, was born August 5th, 1869, and died October 4th, 1869.

5845 VI SNIDER, NATHANIEL, was born October 1st, 1870. He is married to Malinda Wismer and resides at German Mills where he is engaged on the farm. His family consists of one child named VII Roy.

5846 VI SNIDER, ISAAC S., was born November 9th, 1872. He is a miller by trade and resides at San-

borne, Iowa, where he is engaged in a mill. He is not married.

5847 VI SNIDER, ELAM, was born April 1st, 1874. He is a miller by trade and is engaged in the Waterloo Union Mills, Waterloo, Ontario.

5848 VI SNIDER, SILAS S., was born April 5th, 1875, and died August 28th, 1875.

5849 VI SNIDER, HANNAH, was born June 23rd, 1876, and died July 7th, 1876.

5850 VI SNIDER, ALVIN, was born April 9th, 1878.

5851 VI SNIDER, MALIZZA, was born August 15, 1879.

5852 VI SNIDER, ELIAS S., was born Sep. 26th, 1882.

5853 V SNIDER, ELIAS W. B., was born June 19th, 1842. On April 19th, 1864, he was married to Nancy Weber. Mr. Snider is a miller by trade. In 1865 he took possession of the German Mills where he was engaged in doing a well paying business. In March, 1871, he purchased the St. Jacobs Mills where he has been doing an extensive and successful business ever since. Some years ago he also purchased the New Dundee Mills and has since been conducting both mills with the greatest of success. Besides being the proprietor of the two large mills, he has large interests in various other lines of business. In politics Mr. Snider favors the principles of the Liberal Party whose representative he has been in the Local House from June, 1881, (after Mr. Springer's resignation) until the dissolution of that body in 1894 when he declined to be again the standard bearer of the Liberal Party. He resides in St. Jacobs, Ontario. His family consists of the following children, viz:

5854 VI SNIDER, CLARA, was born March 10th, 1865. She is married to Alfred Snyder, a merchant, and resides in St. Jacobs, Ontario.

5855 VI SNIDER, ALDRED, was born October 28th, 1866. He is married to Victoria Reichert. They reside in Waterloo where he is engaged in the machine shops of the Waterloo Manufacturing Co.

5856 VI SNIDER, CRANSON, was born April 22nd, 1868. He is married to Caroline Heinrich and resides in Waterloo where he is engaged as book-keeper with the Waterloo Manufacturing Co.

5857 VI SNIDER, FERNANDO, was born April 30th, 1870. He is married to Emma Steller and resides in New Dundee where he is engaged as book-keeper in his father's mills.

5858 VI SNIDER, WILLIAM, was born February 25th, 1872. He is at home and is engaged as book-keeper in the St. Jacobs mills.

5859 VI SNIDER, EDWIN, was born April 5th, 1874. He is also home and is engaged in his father's mill.

5860 VI SNIDER, ELIAS, was born May 8th, 1876. He is home and engaged in the mill.

5861 VI SNIDER, ADA, was born September 10, 1878.

5862 VI SNIDER, FRANKLIN, was born May 5th, 1880, and died May 8th, 1880.

5863 VI SNIDER, ELLA LOLA, was born April 19th, 1881.

5864 VI SNIDER, AMY FLORENCE, was born January 18th, 1883.

5865 V SNIDER, WILLIAM, was born October 26th, 1845. When a young man he entered his father's mills in the town of Waterloo where he served his apprenticeship as miller and has been connected with the mills ever since. In 1879 he, in company with Mr. A. Kraft, purchased the valuable mills (known as Union Mills) from his father and has since built addi-

tions to it and has made improvements in the latest and most improved machinery so as to have a daily capacity of nearly 300 barrels of flour of the most superior quality. He has served his town and county in the municipal council for a number of years, serving in the capacity as councillor for seven years, reeve for three years, warden of the county one year, and mayor for two years. On June 11th, 1867, he was married to Lydia Ann Bowman. They reside in the town of Waterloo and have had a family as follows, viz:

5866 VI SNIDER, SUSANNAH, was born February 24th, 1874, and died March 9th, 1874.

5867 VI SNIDER, MINNIE ALBERTA, was born July 23rd, 1875, and died December 26th, 1876.

5868 VI SNIDER, ELMA PRISCILLA, was born February 1st, 1878.

5869 VI SNIDER, CLARA MAY, was born July 21st, 1880.

5870 VI SNIDER, FREDERICK WILLIAM, was born February 18th, 1886.

5871 V SNIDER, JOHN, was born December 24th, 1848. On June 5th, 1870, he was married to Magdalena Snyder. They reside near German Mills where he is engaged in farming. To them are born four children, viz:

5872 VI SNIDER, HANNAH, was born December 22nd, 1871. Died same day.

5873 VI SNIDER, EPHRAIM, was born August 18th, 1874.

5874 VI SNIDER, URIAS, was born November 22, 1875.

5875 VI SNIDER, ALMINA, was born September 6th, 1877, and died June 24th, 1883.

5876 V SNIDER, TILMAN B., was born December 9th, 1850. On October 24th, 1871, he was married to Magdalena Groff. He was raised at Waterloo and when well up in his "teens" he entered the mills and followed the milling business for a number of years. He and his brother Amos were joint owners of the German Mills for some years. In June, 1890, he moved to Sanborn, Iowa, U. S., where he is now engaged in farming and stockraising. While residing at German Mills Mr. Snyder took an active part in municipal matters, having served several years at the council board as councillor, then deputy reeve for the township. His family consists of six children, namely: VI Artista, VI Minerva, VI Ella Edna, VI Alta Burten, VI Mabel Stella, VI Elmer Nile. See No. 3353.

5877 V SNIDER, JACOB B., was born January 10th, 1853. On September 20th, 1874, he was married to Susannah Shantz. They reside at German Mills where he is engaged in farming and the dairy business. His family consists of six children, namely: VI Lydia Ann, VI Annette, VI Alvin, VI Aden, VI Ion, and VI Harvey.

5878 V SNIDER, AMOS B., was born April 19th, 1855. On June 29th, 1875, he was married to Hannah Kraft. He followed the milling business for about fifteen years when he resided at German Mills, Ontario. On June 18th, 1890, he moved to Sanborn, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of three children, namely: VI Ervine, VI Elva, and VI Ethel.

5879 V SNIDER, HANNAH, was born April 23rd, 1857. On January 4th, 1874, she was married to Ephraim Shantz. After their marriage they moved two miles south of Berlin where he was engaged in farming until March, 1894, then moved to Didsbury, Alberta, N. W. T., where he is again engaged in

farming. To them are born three children, namely: VI Selina, VI Elsie, and VI Burton.

5880 V SNIDER, REV. JONAS, was born October 2nd, 1858. His boyhood days were spent on the farm he now possesses. The long summer months were engaged in performing such duties generally allotted to the juvenile race, while the winter time was engaged in attending the public school of the neighborhood where he received such an education generally furnished by those schools. When a young man he joined the church of his choice, the Mennonite, of which body he is held in high esteem for his many noble qualities. On June 24th, 1892, he was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite Church. His sermons are characterized by ability and great faithfulness and are well received by his congregation and others. As a minister he is a diligent and faithful worker and pursues his calling with great devotion, doing good unto all. On April 1st, 1879, he was united in matrimony with Lucy Snyder who died June 15th, 1886. On July 5th, 1887, he was again married to Susannah Horst. Mr. Snider's family consists of nine children, of whom the four eldest were born unto his first wife. The names of the children are VI Edgar, VI Clayton, VI Delton, VI Addison, VI Mary H. (dead), VI Laura (dead), VI Walter, VI Clara, and VI Hannah.

5881 IV SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born April 19th, 1817. On March 27th, 1836, she was married to Henry Snider, and died January 13th, 1855. See Henry Snider's family.

5882 IV SNYDER, MENNO, was born August 15th, 1819. On December 15th, 1839, he was married to Catharine Kalbfleisch who was born March 20th, 1820. They resided on the old "Snider Farm" a little west of Waterloo where he died February 2nd, 1889. His family consisted of eight children, viz:

5883 V SNYDER, HENRY K., was born January 1st,

1841. On July 24th, 1865, he was married to Rebecca Sitler. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged as fireman. To them was born a family of five children, namely: VI Leon, VI Owen (dead), VI Sarah Ann, VI Truman, and VI Ira.

5884 V SNYDER, MARY, was born November 21st, 1843. On March 15th, 1866, she was married to Rev. Jacob Fellman. They reside in Chicago, Illinois, where he has charge of a large congregation of the Baptist faith. To them is born a family of ten children, namely: VI Edward, VI Tina, VI Kate, VI Harry, VI William, VI Minnie, VI Ida, VI Emma, VI Albert, and VI Freddie (dead).

5885 V SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born February 8th, 1846. On December 21st, 1866, she was married to Solomon A. Crowder, a teacher. They reside in Dresden, Kent County, Ontario. To them is born a family of ten children, namely: VI Ernest, VI Katie, VI Ella, VI Georgina, VI Maggie, VI Leonia, VI Emma, VI Ethel, VI Albert, and VI Edna.

5886 V SNYDER, MARGARET, was born July 31st, 1848. On February 25th, 1872, she was married to Philip Lautenschlager. They reside in the town of Berlin and have a family of two children, namely: VI Jessie (dead), and VI Roland.

5887 V SNYDER, JACOB K., was born December 17th, 1850. On January 25th, 1880, he was married to Mary Kalbfleisch. They resided on the old "Snider Farm" at the town of Waterloo where he died July 20th, 1893, leaving a family of four children, named VI Arthur, VI Byron, VI Cecil, and VI Dalpin.

5888 V SNYDER, GEORGE K., twin brother to Jacob, was born December 17th, 1850, and died July 26th, 1871.

5889 V SNYDER, ELIAS K., was born April 2nd, 1853. On February 2nd, 1887, he was married to Katie Schinbein. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in the boot and shoe business. To them are born four children, namely: VI Leonie (dead), VI Olive Maude, VI Frederick Walter, and VI Roxie Mabel.

5890 V SNYDER, CATHARINE, the youngest in the family, was born October 21st, 1855. On September 22nd, 1880, she was married to Abraham F. Kramp who was born July 19th, 1856. They resided in Berlin where he died November 9th, 1882. To them was born one child named VI Leonie (dead).

5891 IV SNIDER, JACOB C., was born January 12th, 1822. He was married to Nancy Bricker who was born July 29th, 1820. They resided in St. Jacobs where he was proprietor of the mills now in possession of E. W. B. Snider. He died* March 12th, 1857, leaving a family of five children, viz:

5892 V SNIDER, JACOB B., was born January 21st, 1839. He is unmarried and has his home with his brother, Sidney.

5893 V SNIDER, JOHN B., was born August 25th, 1840. On August 7th, 1860, he was married to Susannah E. Moyer. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged in business. His family consists of five children, namely: VI Hattie, VI Martha, VI Lizzie, VI Annie Florence, and VI Vivian.

5894 V SNIDER, NORMAN B., was born January 1st,

* He was a passenger on board the illfated train that broke through the bridge crossing the Desjardine Canal near Hamilton. He was one of the number who was instantly killed. Date of accident March 12th, 1857.

1843. On December 13th, 1861, he was married to Caroline Hahnal. They resided in the town of Waterloo where he died January 24th, 1884, leaving a family of eight children, namely: VI Norman N., VI Sydney C., VI Sylinda Martha, VI Amasa V., VI Caroline (dead), VI Georgina Rosina, VI George Albert, and VI Christina Dora May.

5895 V SNIDER, SYDNEY B., was born February 2nd, 1845. On December 17th, 1867, he was married to Esther Bricker. They reside near Hawksville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of eight children, namely: VI Albert, VI Addie, VI Harvey (dead), VI Annie (dead), VI Nelson, VI John, VI Alexander, and VI Edward.

5896 V SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born May 2nd, 1850. On November 21st, 1871, she was married to Alexander Peterson. They reside in Woolwich Township, west of St. Jacobs, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI Clayton (dead), VI William Henry, VI Charles Leslie, VI Anna Florence, VI Fannie Maude, and VI Gordon.

5897 IV SNIDER, ANNA, was born July 23rd, 1824. On March 5th, 1844, she was married to Samuel S. Snider and died April 23rd, 1890. See Samuel S. Snider's family.

5898 IV SNIDER, DANIEL, was born April 4th, 1827. On October 14th, 1849, he was married to Elizabeth Barlett who was born January 4th, 1825. They resided on a farm a little to the west of the Waterloo Park where he died, October 28th, 1889. To them was born a family of seven children, of whom

three died in infancy, not having received a name. The names of the other four are as follows:

5899 V SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born September 16th, 1851. On December 22nd, 1868, she was married to John Riehm, a farmer. They reside in Wallace Township, Perth County. To them is born the following family, namely: VI Elizabeth, VI Jacob, VI Ezra, VI Emma, VI Martha, VI Reuben, VI Amsey, VI Ida, and VI Rosa.

5900 V SNIDER, JACOB, was born August 16th, 1853, and died February 8th, 1873.

5901 V SNIDER, ELIAS B., was born November 30th, 1860. On January 10th, 1884, he was married to Elizabeth Morrison. He resides in Parry Sound where he is engaged on a boat during the navigable season of the year. His family is as follows, namely: VI Eva and VI Roy.

5902 V SNIDER, CATHARINE, was born November 11th, 1862, and died January 30th, 1873.

5903 IV SNIDER, SUSANNAH, was born April 4th, 1830. On March 18th, 1849, she was married to Moses Shantz, a farmer. See Moses Shantz's family.

5904 IV SNIDER, CHRISTIAN, was born May 16th, 1833, and died August 9th, 1836.

5905 III SNYDER, JOHN C., was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, February 1st, 1792. In 1806 he came to Canada with his parents and was raised at Doon, Ontario. In September, 1814, he was married to Catharine, daughter of Christian and Hannah (Paul) Shantz. She was born in Mont-

gomery County, Pennsylvania, September 5th, 1792, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, February 27th, 1854. They resided near Kossuth where he died of cholera, July 31st, 1834. To them was born a family of nine children, viz:

5906 IV SNYDER, LEVI, was born August 16th, 1815. On March 17th, 1838, he was married to Elizabeth Clemens (No. 1636). They resided near Zion Chapel where he was engaged in farming. His death took place May 26th, 1890. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

5907 V SNYDER, HANNAH, was born February 17th, 1837. On June 5th, 1859, she was married to Samuel Bear. See No. 604.

5908 V SNYDER, JOHN, was born August 6th, 1840. On January 3rd, 1862, he was married to Rebecca Bear (No. 603). In 1864 they moved to Clinton, Huron County, Ontario, where he is farming. To them were born three children, namely: VI Abraham, died May 4th, 1863, VI Levi, and VI Mary Ann, died June 10th, 1882.

5909 V SNYDER, JESSE, was born April 7th, 1843. On May 2nd, 1869, he was married to Mary Schultz. They reside near Clinton, Huron County, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of eight children, namely: VI Caroline Elizabeth, VI Aaron (dead), VI Henry, VI Mary, VI Sophia, VI VI Norman, VI Levi, and VI Rebecca.

5910 V SNYDER, LYDIA, was born February 8th, 1846. On December 27th, 1868, she was married to Benjamin Bear (No. 609). They resided near Doon where she died December 4th, 1871, leaving a family of two children, namely: VI Byron and VI Aaron.

5911 V SNYDER, HENRY, was born December 17th, 1848, and died August 10th, 1864.

5912 V SNYDER, AARON, was born July 2nd, 1851. On January 18th, 1872, he was married to Sarah Catharine Eaton who was born December 5th, 1851, and died February 28th, 1887. They resided on his father's old homestead where she died. To them was born a family of four children, namely: VI Lorn Hamah, VI Ida Elizabeth, VI Hannah Malinda, and VI Lawrence.

5913 V SNYDER, MARY, was born June 30th, 1853. On January 1st, 1878, she was married to Ephraim Huber. They resided in Huron County, Ontario, where she died September 24th, 1878, leaving one child, a daughter named VI Mary, born September 23rd, 1878.

5914 V SNYDER, REBECCA, was born September 19th, 1855. On September 11th, 1877, she was married to Joseph B. Hagey. They reside on the old "Hagey Farm." See No. 3473.

5915 V SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born April 19th, 1858. On September 7th, 1881, she was married to Noah Scheirich. They resided on the old "Scheirich Farm" north of Preston where she died March 10th, 1887, leaving a family of two children, namely: VI Mabel and VI Elma.

5916 IV SNYDER, ABSALOM, was born May 23rd, 1817. On February 2nd, 1841, he was married to Mary, daughter of Jacob and Judith (Baumann) Bricker. She was born May 7th, 1823, and died May 17th, 1891. After his marriage he moved near Fisher's Mills south of Kossuth, on the farm now in possession of his youngest son, Abraham, where he is still resid-

ing and enjoying life. He is a very active and well posted man for his age. His family consisted of fifteen children, viz:

5917 V SNYDER, AMOS, was born April 10th, 1842. On December 14th, 1869, he was married to Leah Strome. They reside near Gorrie, Ontario, and have a family of five children, namely: VI Simon, Josiah, VI Levi, VI Mary Ann, and VI Melinda.

5918 V SNYDER, JOSHUA, was born December 14th, 1843. On November 18th, 1866, he was married to Susannah Kinzie. He followed farming and resided about two miles south of Couestogo, Ontario, where he died February 14th, 1874, leaving a family of three children, namely: VI Mary. VI Judith, died January 4th, 1873, and VI Susannah, died June 9th, 1875.

5919 V SNYDER, AARON, was born August 18th, 1845. On April 9th, 1871, he was married to Anna Good. They reside near his father's old homestead where he died April 28th, 1872, leaving one child named VI Mary Ann, born June 6th, 1872.

5920 V SNYDER, JUDITH, was born December 16th, 1846. On January 30th, 1876, she was married to Aaron Martin, a farmer. They resided in Howick Township, Huron County, Ontario, where she died May 14th, 1892. See Aaron Martin's family.

5921 V SNYDER, JOHN B., was born August 1st, 1848. On February 27th, 1877, he was married to Isabella Cassel (No. 1561). They reside a few miles west of Haysville where he is the owner of a beautiful farm. His family consists of five children, namely: VI Zenas, VI Astor, VI Cevilla, VI Lauretta, and VI Phoebe.

5922 V SNYDER, EPHRAIM, was born October 13th,

1849. On October 24th, 1875, he was married to Anna Shantz. He resided near his father's place where he died May 18th, 1880, leaving no family.

5923 V SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born February 21st, 1851. On April 9th, 1884, she was married to Alfred Simpson who died June 1st, 1886. On March 9th, 1887, she was again married to Joseph S. Shantz, a farmer. They reside near Hespeler, Ontario. She had no family with her first husband but with her second husband there are four children, namely: VI Emma Naomi (dead), VI Judith Magdalena (dead), VI Hermis Clement, and VI Ammon Junia.

5924 V SNYDER, LEVI was born July 25th, 1852. On September 17th, 1884, he was married to Sarah Reist. They reside on a farm near his father's place. To them are born six children, namely: VI Myra, VI Abel, VI Elma, VI Ada, VI Sylva, and VI Mary Bula.

5925 V SNYDER, CATHARINE, was born February 5th, 1854. She is home with her father and is not married.

5926 V SNYDER, DILMAN, was born November 30th, 1855. He was married, October 19th, 1885, to Ida Bawtinheimer. They resided at Plattsville, Ontario, where he died December 25th, 1886. His family consisted of one child named VI Dilman K., born October 10th, 1886, and died November 9th, 1886.

5927 V SNYDER, JACOB, was born June 1st, 1857, and died May 9th, 1875.

5928 V SNYDER, MARY, was born March 29th, 1859. She is not married and resides at home with her father.

5929 V SNYDER, REV. ABSALOM B., was born March 7th, 1861. On May 17th, 1892, he was married to Mary Groff (No. 3357). They reside near Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. On June 18th, 1892, he was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite Church. Up to the present he has proved himself to be an able man and no doubt in time will be one of the ablest ministers of the Mennonite body. His family consists of two children named VI Martha and VI Oliver Absalom.

5930 V SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born May 20th, 1863, and died July 29th, 1880.

5931 V SNYDER, ABRAHAM B., was born March 21st, 1866. On September 12th, 1894, he was married to Lydia Ann Groff (No. 3360). They reside on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming.

5932 IV SNYDER, HANNAH, was born July 25th, 1819. On March 28th, 1837, she was married to Jonas C. Shantz and died December 12th, 1848. See Jonas C. Shantz's family.

5933 IV SNIDER, SAMUEL S., was born October 9th, 1821. After the decease of his father in 1834 he had his home with his uncle, Benjamin Shantz who then resided at Freeport (Toll Bridge) on the old "Abraham C. Weber Farm." On March 5th, 1844, he was married to Anna, daughter of Jacob C. and Elizabeth (Cressman) Snider. She was born July 23rd, 1824, and died April 23rd, 1890. After his marriage he moved on a farm adjoining the town of Waterloo where he was engaged in farming for a number of years. In connection with the farm he also had an interest in the Union Mills, Waterloo, and later in the Lancaster Mills of Bridgeport, Ontario. After the decease of his first wife he was again married to Elizabeth Reist, widow of the late Joseph Heckedon. They reside in the town of Waterloo. Mr. Snider's family is as follows, viz:

5934 V SNIDER, CYRUS S., was born October 19th, 1844. He resides on the old homestead where he is engaged in farming. He is not married.

5935 V SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born July 17th, 1846. On March 23rd, 1869, she was married to Jacob Stoeckle. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Matilda, VI Allan, VI Emma, VI Mary Ann (dead), VI Norman, VI Ivan (dead), and VI Viola (dead). See Jacob Stoeckle's family.

5936 V SNIDER, CATHARINE, was born April 21st, 1848. On April 4th, 1869, she was married to John B. Bingeman. See No. 1052.

5937 V SNIDER, HIRAM, was born September 25th, 1850. On November 5th, 1872, he was married to Leah Bricker (No. 1288). Some time after his marriage he moved to Plattsville, Ontario, where he, in partnership with Mr. Stoeckle, was engaged in the milling business until 1887 when he sold out and moved to Chicago, Illinois, where he is now engaged in some business. His family is as follows, namely: VI Loando, VI Alvin, VI Uella, and VI Herbert.

5938 V SNIDER, SAMUEL S., Jr., was born September 30th, 1852. On October 5th, 1875, he was married to Magdalena Brubacher (No. 1402). They reside on part of his father's old place where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Malinda, VI Samuel Edwin and VI John Alvin (twins), and VI Herbert.

5939 V SNIDER, MENNO S., was born April 16th, 1855. He was married to Sarah Ann Bricker (No. 1289). They reside a little west of Elmira where he is engaged in farming. No family.

5940 V SNIDER, SUSANNAH, was born October 11th, 1857. On May 14th, 1878, she was married to Jonathan S. Snyder. See Jonathan S. Snyder's family.

5941 V SNIDER, TITUS, was born January 19th, 1860. He is engaged in farming on the old homestead. He is not married.

5942 V SNIDER, JACOB S., was born July 5th, 1861. He is engaged in farming and is the possessor of the west part of his father's large farm. He is married to Ida Stauffer and has a family of four children, namely: VI Obal Howard, VI Walter Vernon, VI Anna Bulah, and VI Barbara Luella.

5943 V SNIDER, MARY, was born January 13th, 1863. She is unmarried and resides on the old homestead, keeping house for her brothers.

5944 V SNIDER, EMMA, was born November 25th, 1865. She is also unmarried and resides with her sister, Mary.

5945 V SNIDER, EZRA, was born November 25th, 1865, and died April 19th, 1866.

5946 V SNIDER, EDWARD, was born June 21st, 1867, and died March 31th, 1868.

5947 V SNIDER, MATILDA, was born February 28th, 1870, and died August 6th, 1870.

5948 IV SNYDER, AMOS, was born May 14th, 1824. On December 31st, 1844, he was married to Catharine, daughter of Isaac and Mary (Clemens) Master. She was born August 3rd, 1826, and died at Sourisford, Man., February 24th, 1886. They resided near Preston many years, thence moved to Oxford County, Ontario, and when old they, in May, 1880, moved to Manitoba. To them were born the following children, viz:

5949 V SNYDER, ISAAC, was born December 4th,

1845. On February 16th, 1870, he was married to Rhoda Elizabeth Gofton.

5950 V SNYDER, HANNAH, was born May 10th, 1847, and died September 2nd, 1848.

5951 V SNYDER, MARY, was born June 6th, 1848. On February 2nd, 1870, she was married to William Reddaway. In 1883 they moved to Manitoba within a few miles of her father's home.

5952 V SNYDER, GEORGE, was born July 11th, 1850, and died March 17th, 1856.

5953 V SNYDER, ELIZA, was born March 6th, 1852. On December 26th, 1872, she was married to Samuel James Thomas, a moulder. They reside in Ayr, Ontario.

5954 V SNYDER, HENRY WANNER, was born October 12th, 1853. On December 29th, 1880, he was married to Annie Elizabeth Cann. He is a farmer and in 1882 they moved to Manitoba where he is farming.

5955 V SNYDER, JOHN WESLEY, was born May 11th, 1856. In 1882 he went to Manitoba where he is now engaged in farming.

5956 V SNYDER, CLEMENS, was born December 29th, 1858, and died January 12th, 1860.

5957 V SNYDER, RACHEL, was born May 5th, 1861. On January 28th, 1886, she was married to Alfred Gould, formerly a farmer but now a merchant in Sourisford, Manitoba, to which place he moved in 1878.

5958 V SNYDER, LYDIA ANN, was born November 17th, 1863. On February 1st, 1886, she was married to John Elliot who in 1879 went to Manitoba where he is now engaged in farming.

5959 V SNYDER, ELSIE, was born May 23rd, 1866, and died June 20th, 1883.

5960 V SNYDER, REBECCA, was born November 28th, 1868, and in fall of 1882 she went to Sourisford, Manitoba.

5961 IV SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born March 4th, 1827. On October 27th, 1846, she was married to Moses Clemens. They resided at Blenheim P. O., Kent County, where he died. See Nos. 1684 to 1696.

5962 IV SNYDER, NANCY, was born April 30th, 1830. On October 30th, 1849, she was married to Aaron Clemens who died March 21st, 1888. See Nos. 1697 to 1707.

5963 IV SNYDER, CHRISTIAN, was born September 15th, 1832. On August 25th, 1857, he was married to Lydia Maria Bonham. They moved west to Kimball P. O., Nebraska, U. S., where they resided for some time; afterwards they moved 300 miles farther west. To them were born nine children, viz:

5964 V SNYDER, ALICE CELENA, was born June 27th, 1858. On February 14th, 1878, she was married, at Columbus, Nebraska, to Elias M. Stowe. They reside at Newman Grove, Nebraska, U. S.

5965 V SNYDER, ELLEN B., was born February 10th, 1860. She was married, November 20th, 1877, to Cecil E. Owens. They resided in Holt County, Nebraska, where she died November 4th, 1878.

5966 V SNYDER, PERMILLA J., was born in Waterloo County, Ontario, February 19th, 1862, and died in Conestogo, Ontario, August 7th, 1862.

5967 V SNYDER, MARY ADELAIDE, was born in Burford, Oxford County, Ontario, August 3rd, 1864. She was married in Platte County, Nebraska, January 29th, 1884, to Franklin P. Moran. They now reside near Whitman P. O., Nebraska.

5968 V SNYDER, WILLIAM A., was born July 14th, 1866, and died January 16th, 1867.

5969 V SNYDER, EMILY A., was born March 12th 1873, and died September 12th, 1873.

5970 V SNYDER, CHRISTIE O., was born in Platte County, Nebraska, January 8th, 1877.

5971 V SNYDER, BEULAH V., was born in Platte County, Nebraska, February 9th, 1879.

5972 V SNYDER, ETHEL M., was born May 26th, 1881, and died March 24th, 1886.

5973 IV SNYDER, REBECCA, was born April 10th, 1835. On November 26th, 1854, she was married to John S. Clemens. See Nos. 1709 to 1723.

5974 III SCHNEIDER, MARY, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, June 9th, 1794. She was married, in Waterloo County, Ontario, June 21st, 1814, to Abraham Cressman and died near Strasburg, Ontario, in 1864. See Nos. 2107 to 2195.

5975 III SCHNEIDER, JOSEPH, Jr., the fourth member of Christian and Elizabeth (Erb) Schneider's family, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, January 12th, 1796. When ten years of age his parents moved to Canada and in spring, 1806, they settled near Doon where he was raised. On February 27th, 1820, he was married to Mary, daughter of Joseph and Mary (Bear) Baumann. She was born in Berks County, Pennsylvania, September 26th, 1794, and died in Water-

loo Township, February 11th, 1838. After her death he was again married, March 31st, 1839, to Anna Catharine Weicker who was born November 21st, 1813, and died April 12th, 1890. No issue of second marriage. On March 20th, 1820, he moved on his farm, lot No. 63, German Company's Tract, where he resided until his death which took place February 21st, 1874. To him and his first wife were born two children, viz:

5976 IV SCHNEIDER, CHRISTIAN B., the only son of Joseph Schneider, Jr., was born October 18th, 1824. On October 31st, 1848, he was married to Barbara, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Hoffman) Baumann. She was born December 11th, 1825. Some time after their marriage they moved on his father's large farm containing 448 acres which he has since purchased. He and his wife still reside on the old homestead but the large farm has been divided into three farms, the east end is possessed by his son, Joseph, the central part by his son, Franklin, and the west end with the old buildings is possessed by Israel B. Gingerich, his son-in-law. Mr. Schneider had a family of ten children, viz:

5977 V SCHNEIDER, MARTIN B., was born May 22nd, 1849. On December 13th, 1869, he was married to Mary B. Shantz who was born October 6th, 1847. They reside on a large farm known as Daniel Rudy's, about two miles west of Waterloo. Their family consists of nine children, namely: VI Alvina, married to George Shirk, VI Allan, VI Urias, VI Noah, VI Malinda, VI Irwin, VI Hannah, VI Milton, and VI Linni Ann who died in infancy.

5978 V SCHNEIDER, NELSON, was born December 22nd, 1850, and died of typhoid fever February 17th, 1873.

5979 V SCHNEIDER, SUSANNAH, was born October 5th, 1852, and died September 30th, 1853.

5980 V SCHNEIDER, JOSEPH, was born January

20th, 1854. On December 5th, 1876, he was married to Veronica Weber who was born February 19th, 1857. They reside on the east end of lot No. 63, German Company's Tract and have had a family of eight children, namely: VI Simeon, VI Susannah (dead), VI Leah, VI Lucinda, VI Lovina, VI Edwin, VI Joseph, and VI Anna.

5981 V SCHNEIDER, FRANKLIN, was born January 10th, 1856. On March 4th, 1888, he was married to Magdalena Brubacher. They possess the central part of the old "Schneider Farm," being composed of lot No. 63, German Company's Tract. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Ira, VI Barbara, VI Israel, and VI Amos.

5982 V SCHNEIDER, JONATHAN, was born April 18th, 1858. On October 5th, 1879, he was married to Annie Kinzie who was born May 4th, 1858. They resided on the old homestead with his father where he died March 10th, 1887. They had a family of four children, namely: VI Aaron, VI Maria (dead), VI Amsay, and VI Lydia. After his decease the widow was married to Moses Weber, and after her second husband's death she moved back to Christian B. Schneider's where she and her family now reside.

5983 V SCHNEIDER, LYDIA, was born September 13th, 1859. On February 10th, 1880, she was married to Isaac Hilborn who was born January 8th, 1856. They reside on a large farm in Woolwich Township, one mile east of Elmira. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Ida (dead), VI Lovina, VI Minerva, and VI Melvin.

5984 V SCHNEIDER, DILMAN, was born June 1st, 1862, and died of typhoid fever, October 4th, 1872.

5985 V SCHNEIDER, JARED, was born October 23rd, 1863. He is at home with his parents and is not married.

5986 V SCHNEIDER, LOVINA, was born February 8th, 1865. On January 3rd, 1888, she was married to Israel B. Gingerich who was born August 27th, 1863. They reside on the west end of lot No. 63, German Company's Tract, the old Schneider home. They have the old buildings put up by the first settler, Joseph Schneider, Jr. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Malinda, VI Manasseh, and VI Simon.

5987 IV SCHNEIDER, MAGDALENA B., the only daughter of Joseph and Mary (Baumann) Schneider, was born in Waterloo Township, on lot No. 63, German Company's Tract, January 21st, 1827. On February 5th, 1850, she was married to Wendel, eldest son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Hoffman) Baumann. See Nos. 149 to 158.

5988 III SCHNEIDER, DANIEL, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, December 21st, 1797. When a lad of nine years of age his parents moved to Canada and settled at Doon, Ontario, where young Daniel grew to manhood. In 1818 he was married to Nancy (No. 2815), daughter of John and Magdalena (Schrantz) Erb. She was born February 15th, 1794, and died November 15th, 1865. Soon after their marriage he moved about two miles south of Berlin, on the farm lately owned by Ephraim B. Shantz, where he, in 1829, also opened a small store. In 1833 he disposed of this property and moved to the town of Waterloo where he was doing a well paying mercantile business for many years. He died March 14th, 1884, leaving no heirs.

5989 III SNYDER, DAVID, was born March 29th, 1799. On March 18th, 1823, he was married to Leah Baumann (No. 44). She was born in Berks County, Pennsylvania, June 6th, 1804, and died at Freeport, Ontario, April 24th, 1876. They resided at Freeport, Ontario, where he was busily engaged in tilling his large farm which is now cut up into a number of smaller farms. Here he resided until his death which took place December 2nd, 1875. His family consisted of five children, viz:

5990 IV SNYDER, DANIEL B., was born February 8th, 1825. On October 24th, 1848, he was married to Elizabeth Bechtel (No. 663). Soon after his marriage he moved on the east part of his father's large estate where he resided until the death of his wife which took place January 11th, 1891, then he moved to Berlin where he now resides and takes things easy and lives in comfort. His family is as follows:

5991 V SNYDER, EPHRAIM A., was born June 1st, 1850. On December 2nd, 1873, he was married to Nancy Weaver. They reside in Sully County, Dakota, near Percilla P. O., where he is engaged in farming.

5992 V SNYDER, SARAH, was born July 25th, 1851 On February 2nd, 1874, she was married to Jacob F. Shelly, a wage-earner. They resided near Freeport where she died November 2nd, 1879.

5993 V SNYDER, MARIA, was born January 30th, 1854. She is unmarried and resides in Berlin with her father.

5994 V SNYDER, LEAH, was born May 22nd, 1856. She is engaged as a milliner and dressmaker. She is unmarried and has her home in Berlin with her father.

5995 V SNYDER, LYDIA, was born December 11th, 1857. On March 21st, 1879 she was married to Abraham Goudie, a farmer. See No. 3320.

5996 V SNYDER, HELENA, was born March 14th, 1859. In August, 1881, she was married to James Goudie, a farmer. See No. 3322.

5997 V SNYDER, OWEN, was born July 28th, 1861. He is married to Fannie Seibert. They reside at Homestead, Venzie County, Michigan, where he is engaged in the ministry of the Congregational Church. Up to the present he has proved himself to be a good worker in his Master's cause. As a minister he is much beloved by his and other congregations. They have no family.

5998 IV SNYDER, ELIAS B., was born March 29th, 1828. On February 11th, 1851, he was married to Susannah Bowman (No. 275). They resided at Freeport, Ontario, where she died July 30th, 1874. Some time after her decease he sold his farm and moved to Petoskey, Michigan, where he was again married August 22nd, 1880, to Polly Kaufman, widow of John Holm. Mr. Snyder's family consists of three children, viz:

5999 V SNYDER, TITUS B., was born at Freeport, Ontario, November 1st, 1854. He received a good education and followed teaching for several years. In December, 1876, he went to Emmet County, Michigan, where he purchased a farm, then all forest, and cleared quite a number of acres and followed farming until 1882 when he moved to Brutus, Michigan, where he entered into the mercantile business and now is a commercial traveller. On June 20th, 1877, he was married to Nancy

Weaver and has a family of children, as follow: VI Laura Evaline (dead), VI Rachel Leona, VI Elsie Alberta, VI Mabel Gertrude, VI Alton Farewell (dead), and VI Harvey (dead).

6000 V SNYDER, MARY, was born May 20th, 1857. On September 18th, 1877, she was married, in Petoskey, Michigan, to Moses Weaver, a manufacturer and farmer. They resided at Brutus, Emmet County, Michigan, where she died July 19th, 1895, leaving a family as follows: VI Roy, VI Leonard, VI Amos, VI Varna, and VI Mary Susannah. See Moses Weaver's family.

6001 V SNYDER, CALEB B., was born September 18th, 1860. He was in partnership with Titus, his brother, in the mercantile business in Brutus, Michigan, where he still resides. He is not married.

6002 IV SNYDER, POLLY, was born January 15th, 1831. On March 21st, 1848, she was married to Samuel Hallman, a farmer. See Nos. 3504 to 3514.

6003 IV SNYDER, JUDITH, was born July 14th, 1832. On November 14th, 1848, she was married to John Bingeman, a farmer. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where she died March 20th, 1873. See Nos. 1065 to 1081.

6004 IV SNYDER, LEAH, was born December 8th, 1838. On October 28th, 1856, she was married to Daniel Lutz, a farmer. They reside in Kent County, Michigan, where he is the owner of a beautiful farm. See Daniel Lutz's family.

6005 III SNYDER, SAMUEL, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, April 29th, 1801. He was five years of

age when his parents moved to Canada and settled at Doon, Ontario, where he was raised. In 1825 he was married to Mary Detweiler (No. 2274) who was born September 20th, 1806, and died July 4th, 1874. They resided in North Dumfries Township, Waterloo County, near Roseville, where he was engaged in farming for many years. He died May 15th, 1887. His family consisted of twelve children, viz:

6006 IV SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born February 1st, 1826. On April 27th, 1847, she was married to Jacob S. Cressman, a farmer. She died October 9th, 1873. See Nos. 2150 to 2161.

6007 IV SNYDER, BENJAMIN D., was born August 18th, 1827. He was married to Catharine Bechtel who was born September 2nd, 1828. After their marriage they moved on the farm now owned by Abraham Kenzie where he resided until 1862, then moved to St. Jacobs where he was engaged in the milling business until 1871 when he moved to Manheim. In 1872 he purchased Rev. Moses Erb's farm near Bridgeport where he resided until 1877, then sold out again and moved to Peabody, Kansas, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows:

6008 V SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born September 15th, 1850. On November 15th, 1871, she was married to Samuel Haug, a farmer. They resided in Oklahoma, U. S., where she died August 27th, 1895, leaving a family of five children.

6009 V SNYDER, EPHRAIM, was born June 11th, 1852, and died August 11th, 1855.

6010 V SNYDER, ANGELINE, was born February 8th, 1855. On December 26th, 1872, she was married to John W. Meyer, a miller. See John W. Meyer's family.

6011 V SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born June 8th, 1857. On August 31st, 1876, she was married to Simon Reid, a teacher. They reside in Strasburg,

Ontario, where he is principal of the public school. His family consists of eight children, namely: VI Ella May, born April 14th, 1877, VI Elthea, born October 5th, 1879, VI Herbert Spencer, born April 26th, 1881, and died February 21st, 1883, VI Albert Elmer, born December 2nd, 1885, VI Hecter Gordon, born February 21st, 1888, VI Florence, born November 3rd, 1889, VI Sarah Olivia, born August 26th, 1891, and died May 24th, 1892, and VI Alexander Roy, born July 31st, 1893.

6012 V SNYDER, EMELINE, was born March 8th, 1859. On July 4th, 1878, she was married to Jacob Dohner, a farmer. They reside in Marion County, Kansas.

6013 V SNYDER, ISAIAH B., was born February 27th, 1861, and died February 18th, 1885.

6014 V SNYDER, JEREMIAH B., was born July 27th, 1865. He is married to Bessie Donaldson and resides at Waterloo, Oklahoma, U. S., where he is engaged in farming.

6015 IV SNYDER, ISAAC D., was born October 4th, 1829. On February 7th, 1857, he was married to Nancy Horst who was born July 21st, 1834. They reside in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born six children, viz:

6016 V SNYDER, ELI H., was born March 18th, 1855, and died October 25th, 1863.

6017 V SNYDER, JOSIAH H., was born June 19th, 1857, and died June 22nd, 1881.

6018 V SNYDER, DAVID H., was born October 9th, 1858. On April 6th, 1887, he was married to Lucinda

Shantz. They reside in Wilmot Township, on Blenheim Township line, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Ida, VI Mary Ann, and VI Allan (dead).

6019 V SNYDER, SAMUEL H., was born October 16th, 1864. He is married to Angeline Shantz and resides near New Dundee where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of one daughter named VI Perly May.

6020 V SNYDER, MATILDA H., was born June 10th, 1870. She is unmarried and is staying with her parents.

6021 V SNYDER, URIAH H., was born June 24th, 1872. He is unmarried and is home, working on the farm.

6022 IV SNYDER, NANCY, was born June 3rd, 1831. On January 25th, 1859, she was married to Benjamin S. Martin, a farmer. See Benjamin S. Martin's family.

6023 IV SNYDER, MARY, was born June 29th, 1833. On October 12th, 1858, she was married to Abraham Rudy, a farmer. See Abraham Rudy's family.

6024 IV SNYDER, ENOCH D., was born February 28th, 1835. On October 27th, 1857, he was married to Sophia, daughter of David and Susannah (Bergey) Schwartz. She was born June 12th, 1834, and died in Middlesex County, April 21st, 1877. On February 16th, 1879, he was again married to Priscilla Scheifley who was born March 22nd, 1846. They reside near Roseville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Mr. Snider's family is as follows:

6025 V SNYDER, LOVINA, was born July 15th, 1858, and died October 4th, 1878.

6026 V SNYDER, ANGELINE, was born October 6th, 1859, and died April 12th, 1875.

6027 V SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born March 6th, 1861, and died January 4th, 1862.

6028 V SNYDER, ISAIAH S., was born April 15th, 1863. He is unmarried and resides with his parents where he is engaged in the egg business.

6029 V SNYDER, EMANUEL, was born June 29th, 1867. He is unmarried and resides in the state of Oregon where he is engaged in farming.

6030 V SNYDER, EZRA, was born February 12th, 1870. He is unmarried and resides in Hamilton, Ontario, where he is engaged as a street car driver.

6031 V SNYDER, CLARA, born August 10th, 1872.

6032 V SNYDER, LYDIA ANN, born Jan. 31st, 1874.

6033 V SNYDER, IRA, born December 20th, 1879.

6034 V SNYDER, SOPHIA, born June 4th, 1881.

6035 V SNYDER, IDA, born December 4th, 1882.

6036 V SNYDER, AMASA, was born October 2nd, 1884.

N. B.—The six youngest of last named family are home and unmarried.

6037 IV SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born February 4th, 1837. On March 6th, 1860, she was married to Jonas Good, a farmer. See No. 3259.

6038 IV SNYDER, LYDIA, was born January 20th, 1839. On October 20th, 1863, she was married to Henry B. Shantz. See Henry B. Shantz's family.

6039 IV SNYDER, SARAH, was born January 6th, 1841, and died September 30th, 1844.

6040 IV SNYDER, SAMUEL D., was born March 17th, 1843. On June 13th, 1865, he was married to Margaret Clemens (No. 1642) who was born June 28th, 1845. They reside near Wardsville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, viz:

6041 V SNYDER, MALINDA, born June 27th, 1866.

6042 V SNYDER, EMELINE, born May 10th, 1868, died March 27th, 1870.

6043 V SNYDER, ISAAC WILLIAM, born September 14th, 1871.

6044 V SNYDER, DAVID, born August 26th, 1874.

6045 V SNYDER, SARAH JANE, born Sept. 30th, 1876.

6046 V SNYDER, PHALERIA, born June 30th, 1879.

6047 V SNYDER, MAGGIE ELIZABETH, born July 5th, 1881.

6048 V SNYDER, ALTA, born March 20th, 1885.

6049 IV SNYDER, DANIEL D., was born February 26th, 1845. On March 31st, 1868, he was married to Elizabeth Bricker (No. 1262). She was born April 7th, 1847. They reside on his father's old homestead near Roseville, Ontario, where they live retired. To them were born the following children, viz:

6050 V SNYDER, LUCINDA, was born October 1st, 1869. She is married to Albert Stoltz, a farmer. They reside in Wilmot Township, near Trussler's sawmills. They have no family.

6051 V SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born July 8th, 1871. She is married to Albert Becker, a farmer,

They reside on his father-in-law's old homestead and have two children, namely: VI Alice and VI Myrtle.

6052 V SNYDER, ESTHER LAOMA, was born July 16th, 1873, and died May 19th, 1874.

6053 V SNYDER, MARY SELINA, was born May 18th, 1875. She is unmarried and at home with her parents.

6054 V SNYDER, ELSIE MIMA, was born December 15th, 1877, and died August 22nd, 1888.

6055 V SNYDER, MELVIN, was born August 19th, 1880.

6056 V SNYDER, SUSAN, was born April 17th, 1883, and died June 19th, 1883.

6057 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born March 8th, 1847, and died September 29th, 1862.

6058 III SCHNEIDER, CHRISTIAN, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, May 28th, 1804. When two years of age his parents moved to Canada and settled at Doon, Ontario, where he was raised. On December 5th, 1825, he was married to Anna (No. 2104), daughter of John and Anna (Schowalter) Cressman. She was born June 18th, 1803, and died July 12th, 1887. Shortly after their marriage they moved about a mile south of Breslau where he was the proprietor of the large farm now in possession of his youngest son, Absalom. He is the only one of his father's large family that is still living, and is yet quite strong considering his great age. His mental powers are good yet and he seems to enjoy the best of health but is anxiously waiting for the time to be called home to the mansions beyond. Since the decease of his wife he resides in his own house on the old place, having a housekeeper. His family consisted of eight children, viz:

6059 IV SNYDER, MOSES K., was born February 28th, 1827. On June 15th, 1852, he was married to Lydia Bechtel (No. 671) who died August 28th, 1886. On July 17th, 1887, he was again married to Elizabeth Bowman (No. 146). After his first marriage he moved to Wilmot Township, near St. Agatha, Ontario, where he still resides. His family is as follows, viz:

6060 V SNYDER, AMOS B., was born September 30th, 1854. On February 18th, 1879, he was married to Mary Ann Kunsenhauser and resides a little north of Baden where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Lydia, VI Hannah, VI Levi (dead), VI Eli, VI Isaac, and VI Arthur.

6061 V SNYDER, SAMUEL B., was born March 13th, 1856. On May 31st, 1887, he was married to Amanda Rudy and after her decease he was again married to Anna Shantz. They reside in Wilmot Township where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one child of first wife named VI Menno.

6062 V SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born February 9th, 1859. On March 7th, 1882, she was married to Noah C. Bechtel, a farmer. See No. 716.

6063 V SNYDER, CHRISTIAN B., was born January 12th, 1862. On October 7th, 1885, he was married to Esther Bechtel (No. 719). They reside near Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born one child named VI Edna.

6064 V SNYDER, NOAH B., was born March 21st, 1865. On October 11th, 1887, he was married to Leah Bowman (No. 134). They reside near Preston, on Rev. Jacob B. Gingerich's farm. To them were born two children, namely: VI Alvin and VI Norman (dead).

6065 V SNYDER, SARAH, was born November 6th, 1868. She is unmarried and is home with her parents.

6066 V SNYDER, MOSES B., was born February 15th, 1875. He is unmarried and is home, assisting his father on the farm.

6067 IV SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born April 17th, 1829. On April 18th, 1852, she was married to Abraham S. Cressman, and died December 3rd, 1875. See Nos. 2163 to 2166.

6068 IV SNYDER, ANNA, was born February 19th, 1832. On April 24th, 1853, she was married to Rev. Tobias Bowman. See Nos. 127 to 139.

6069 IV SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born September 19th, 1834. On October 13th, 1861, she was married to Moses Honsberger, a farmer. They resided near New Dundee where he died November 26th, 1894. See Moses Honsberger's family.

6070 IV SNYDER, JOHN K., was born November 6th, 1836. On March 26th, 1861, he was married to Veronica Shantz. She was born January 5th, 1843. They reside in Wilmot Township, north of the Schmitt Mennonite Meeting House, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born the following family, viz:

6071 V SNYDER, EPHRAIM S., was born April 27th, 1862. On December 2nd, 1885, he was married to Emma Horst who was born January 25th, 1865. They reside on the old "Grody Farm" north of Baden where he is engaged in farming. To them are born four children, namely: VI Homer, VI Elmina, VI Clara, and VI Edgar.

6072 V SNYDER, ERVINE S., was born June 21st, 1864. He is married to Nancy Nahrgang and resides with his father where he is engaged in farming. No family.

6073 V SNYDER, BARBARA S., was born October 25th, 1866. On February 16th, 1886, she was married to Nelson Shantz, a farmer. See Nelson Shantz's family.

6074 V SNYDER, EMANUEL S., was born February 2nd, 1869, and died February 6th, 1869.

6075 V SNYDER, ANNA, was born January 22nd 1870. She is unmarried and resides at home with her parents.

6076 V SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born June 6th, 1872. She is also home and unmarried.

6077 V SNYDER, DAVID S., was born July 29th, 1874. He is clerk with Hilborn Bros. of Baden and is unmarried.

6078 V SNYDER, VERONICA CATHARINE, born December 15th, 1876.

6079 V SNYDER, DILMAN S., born April 22nd, 1879.

6080 V SNYDER, HERMAN EDGAR, born November 15th, 1885.

6081 V SNYDER, LEVY, was born March 27th, 1888.

6082 IV SNYDER, NOAH K., was born April 12th, 1840, and died July 16th, 1840.

6083 IV SNYDER, ABSALOM K., was born September 2nd, 1841. On March 10th, 1863, he was married to Elizabeth Cressman (No. 2117). They reside on his father's old homestead near Breslau where he is

engaged in farming. To them were born two children, viz:

6084 V SNYDER, LOVINA, was born June 8th, 1864. On September 20th, 1882, she was married to Moses S. Cressman. See No. 2074.

6085 V SNYDER, OZIAS, was born November 13th, 1865. He is married to Lydia Ann Betzner (No. 964) who was born December 24th, 1865, and died March 28th, 1893, leaving one child named Elenor. He resides at home with his parents where he is engaged in farming.

6086 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born December 8th, 1845. On October 20th, 1867, she was married to Jacob B. Schmitt, a farmer. They resided in Wilmot Township, at the Schmitt Mennonite Meeting House, on his father's old homestead, where she died July 25th, 1885, leaving a family of nine children, viz:

V ANNIE, born August 12th, 1868, died same day.

V SARAH, born January 12th, 1870. She is married to Herman Shantz, a farmer. They reside north of Baden, near the old "Grody Farm." No family.

V ANNIE, born April 14th, 1872, and died September 14th, 1872.

V EPHRAIM, born October 19th, 1873. He is home with his father and unmarried.

V LOVINA, born November 1st, 1874, died November 8th, 1874.

V EMANUEL, born December 21st, 1875.

V ANGELINE, born November 18th, 1878.

V GEORGE, born December 23rd, 1879.

V SALOME, born June 23rd, 1882.

6087 III SCHNEIDER, ELIZABETH, was born March 6th, 1806. On April 3rd, 1827, she was married to Isaac C. Shantz who was born July 13th, 1803, and died September 20th, 1885. She died December 25th, 1891. See Isaac C. Shantz's family.

6088 III SCHNEIDER, BENJAMIN, was born July 4th, 1808. On February 22nd, 1831, he was married to Eliza Detweiler (No. 2288) who was born October 2nd, 1811, and died September 7th, 1840. On September 26th, 1843, he was again married to Esther, daughter of Abraham and Barbara (Shuh) Miller. She was born October 23rd, 1814, and died September 9th, 1855. He resided a little west of Roseville, Ontario, where he was the owner of one of the finest tracts of land in Ontario. Here he was engaged in farming for many years, but when well advanced in years he retired from farming and had his home with his children. He died at Roseville, May 25th, 1892. His family consisted of eleven children, of whom the eldest six were born unto his first wife.

6089 IV SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born November 28th, 1831. On March 17th, 1857, she was married to John Musselman, a farmer. They resided in Woolwich Township, where she died July 23rd, 1859, leaving one son named V Benjamin.

6090 IV SNYDER, LYDIA, was born May 8th, 1833. On July 8th, 1856, she was married to Isaac E. Bricker, a farmer. They reside in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario. See No. 1326.

6091 IV SNYDER, SARAH, was born December 4th, 1834. On February 24th, 1861, she was married to Daniel G. Bowman, a farmer. They resided in

Woolwich Township where she died June 17th, 1863, leaving one daughter named V Sarah. See Nos. 387 and 388.

6092 IV SNYDER, NANCY, was born November 28th, 1836. On September 23rd, 1856, she was married to John Wismer, a farmer. They reside near Blair, Ontario. See John Wismer's family.

6093 IV SNYDER, DAVID D., was born August 30th, 1838. He is unmarried and resides on the old homestead where he is engaged in farming.

6094 IV SNYDER, ELIZA, was born March 19th, 1840. She is unmarried and resides on the old homestead with her brother, David, for whom she is keeping house.

6095 IV SNYDER, MARY M., was born July 27th. 1844. On May 19th, 1879, she was married to Daniel Clemens. See No. 1639.

6096 IV SNYDER, LEAH M., was born April 12th, 1846. She is married to Alfred Kipp, a farmer. They reside in Oxford County, near Woodstock, Ontario. No family.

6097 IV SNYDER, BENJAMIN M., was born April 25th, 1848. On November 23rd, 1869, he was married to Mary Ebert. He resides on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: V Allan, V Albertina, V Norman, V Owen, V Benjamin, V Agnes, and V Ezra.

6098 IV SNYDER, ABRAHAM M., was born January 21st, 1850. On October 8th, 1872, he was married to Sally Ann, daughter of Jacob and Catharine (Schwartz) Huber. She was born December 5th, 1849. They reside on part of his father's old home-

stead near Roseville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born a family of seven children, namely: V Edwin, V William, V Arthur (dead), V Rosanna, V Ephraim, V Alvin, and V Idella.

6099 IV SNYDER, CATHARINE, was born August 13th, 1852, and died August 28th, 1855.

6100 II SCHNEIDER, MARY, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in November, 1759, and died July 4th, 1760.

6101 II SCHNEIDER, ELIZABETH, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 15th, 1766. She was married to Christian Ehrisman, a farmer. They reside in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where she died November 1st, 1824, leaving numerous descendants but none in this county.

6102 II SCHNEIDER, MARY, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, September 2nd, 1762. She was married to Jacob Rissor and died March 2nd, 1843. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they had a family of three children, namely: III John, married to Barbara Huber, III Rev. Peter, married to Elizabeth Eby, and III Elizabeth, married to John Hess. All of above descendants are to be found in Lancaster County, Pa.

6103 II SCHNEIDER, JACOB (Yoch), the seventh member of his father's family, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, January 24th, 1764. In 1790 he was married to Mary, daughter of Christian and Mary (Scherch) Erb (No. 2777). She was born March 2nd, 1766, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, near Bloomingdale, August 27th, 1835. In 1806 he, with his wife and family, his brother Christian and family, and

others, moved to Canada† and settled in Waterloo County. Old Yoch, as he was generally called, settled on the east bank of the Grand River, near Bloomingdale, on the farms now possessed by Benjamin S. Snyder, Josiah S. Snyder, and Rev. Menno B. Bowman where he was engaged in farming and acquiring real estate so as to be able to give a large farm to each one of his children. His family consisted of ten children and were all married save one, and resided within the same neighborhood. He died February 6th, 1853, leaving the following family, viz:

6104 III SNIDER, CHRISTIAN J., was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, March 14th, 1791. On March 20th, 1814, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Christian and Hannah (Paul) Shantz. She was born December 15th, 1795, and died February 8th, 1867. They resided a little west of Bloomingdale, on the farm now possessed by their son, Benjamin. Here he died September 12th, 1870, leaving a family of thirteen children, viz:

6105 IV SNIDER, HANNAH, was born March 8th, 1815. On May 8th, 1838, she was married to Aaron Biehn, and died September 12th, 1884. See Nos. 1031 to 1040.

6106 IV SNIDER, ABRAHAM S., was born August 18th, 1816. On November 19th, 1843, he was married to Magdalena Bowman (No. 328). In October, 1858, they moved to Elkhart County, Indiana, about eight miles south-west from Goshen where he followed farming many years. To them were born nine children, viz:

6107 V SNIDER, HARRIET, was born July 5th, 1844. On July 12th, 1868, she was married to John Kilmer, a farmer. They reside near Petoskey, Michigan, and have a large family. Names not received.

† See historical notes, pages 32, 33 and 34.

6108 V SNIDER, JOEL, was born August 31st, 1847. On October 5th, 1873, he was married to Mary Reed. They also reside near Petoskey, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. They have a family.

6109 V SNIDER, MATILDA, was born February 22nd, 1851. On December 27th, 1875, she was married to Isaac Y. Lehman, a farmer. They reside in Indiana. To them is born a large family.

6110 V SNIDER, OWEN, was born April 3rd, 1854. On March 28th, 1886, he was married to Mary Eby. They reside in Elkhart County, Indiana, where he is engaged in farming.

6111 V SNIDER, MAGDALENA, was born September 21st, 1856. On September 2nd, 1877, she was married to Aaron Reed, a carpenter and farmer. They reside in Elkhart County, Indiana.

6112 V SNIDER, HANNAH, was born July 16th, 1858. She is married to George Kehr, a farmer. They reside near Goshen P. O., Elkhart County, Indiana, where he is engaged in farming.

6113 V SNIDER, LYDIA, was born April 8th, 1861. On March 2nd, 1884, she was married to John S. Musselman. They reside near Elmira, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. See John S. Musselman's family.

6114 V SNIDER, NOAH, was born November 10th, 1864. He is married to Mary Burkhart. They reside on his father's old homestead in Elkhart County, Indiana, where he is engaged in farming.

6115 V SNIDER, REBECCA, was born February 20th, 1869, and died March 12th, 1869.

6116 IV SNIDER, JOEL, was born September 11th, 1817, and died of cholera, July 31st, 1834.

6117 IV SNIDER, JACOB S., was born January 25th, 1819. On March 26th, 1844, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Bowman) Schneider. She was born June 10th, 1822. Soon after their marriage they moved on his farm several miles north-east of Bloomingdale where they still reside. Mr. Snider has always taken an active part in all municipal matters pertaining to the township and has been councillor for several years. He was a good farmer but now lives retired. His family is as follows, viz:

6118 V SNIDER, WENDEL S., was born July 12th, 1844. On February 4th, 1873, he was married to Mary Jane Pender. They reside in Grey County, near Ayton, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Melvin, VI Mabel, and a daughter whose name was not received. She died in infancy.

6119 V SNIDER, MARY, was born December 11th, 1845. On December 25th, 1866, she was married to Andrew Clemens. See No. 1865.

6120 V SNIDER, MAGDALENA, was born December 6th, 1847. On February 16th, 1868, she was married to Moses Wismer. See Moses Wismer's family.

6121 V SNIDER, WILLIAM, was born August 22nd, 1849. On June 18th, 1884, he was married to Susannah S. Snyder. They reside several miles north of Bloomingdale where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of five children, namely: VI Alton Melvin, VI Alva Clayton, VI Ivan Edwin, VI Ina Alice, and VI Ferman.

6122 V SNIDER, FRANKLIN, was born June 14th, 1851. On March 29th, 1879, he was married to Lydia Reist who was born January 20th, 1848, and died March 14th, 1881. On January 13th, 1883, he was married to Martha Letson who was born October

26th, 1857. He resides at West Montrose, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family consisted of three children, namely: VI Lydia (dead) of first wife, and VI John Percy and VI Matilda of second wife.

6123 V SNIDER, LUCINDA, was born October 13th, 1853. On April 14th, 1874, she was married to Joseph S. Snyder, a farmer. See Joseph S. Snyder's family.

6124 V SNIDER, REBECCA, was born October 30th, 1855. On May 28th, 1884, she was married to Leander Bowman, a farmer. See No. 229.

6125 V SNIDER, ABRAHAM, was born November 18th, 1858, and died December 1st, 1858.

6126 V SNIDER, ISABELLA, was born February 6th, 1859. On May 7th, 1882, she was married to Solomon Reist, a teacher. See Solomon Reist's family.

6127 V SNIDER, TITUS, was born December 5th, 1861. He is home and works his father's farm and is not married.

6128 V SNIDER, HANNAH, was born March 1st, 1864. She is unmarried and resides home with her parents.

6129 V SNIDER, PETER ALBA, was born November 18th, 1866. He is unmarried and is at home, assisting his brother, Titus, to work the farm.

6130 IV SNIDER, DAVID S., was born March 7th, 1821. On October 15th, 1844, he was married to Leah, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Bowman) Snyder. She was born April 29th, 1820. In November of the same year as their marriage they

moved on their farm which is composed of lot No. 113, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township, where they still reside. Their family is as follows, viz:

6131 V SNIDER, SOLOMON S., was born January 11th, 1846. He is married to Elizabeth Martin and resides in Peel Township, near Yatton P. O., where he is engaged in farming. To them is born the following family, namely: VI Angeline, VI Rachel, VI Addison, VI Oliver, and VI Ervine.

6132 V SNIDER, JONATHAN S., was born August 13th, 1847, and died May 18th, 1851.

6133 V SNIDER, HANNAH S., was born January 19th, 1849, and died October 26th, 1852.

6134 V SNIDER, MAGDALENA, was born May 14th, 1851. She is married to Jacob Bricker, a farmer. See No. 1241.

6135 V SNIDER, SUSANNAH S., was born September 26th, 1853. She is married to Truman Wideman, a blacksmith and carriage ironer. See Truman Wideman's family.

6136 V SNIDER, SIDNEY S., was born March 4th, 1855. He is married to Blandina Martin and resides in Woolwich Township, near his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Menno, VI David, VI Milton, and VI Norman.

6137 V SNIDER, LEAH, was born November 21st, 1857. She is married to Ephraim W. Weber, a farmer, who resides on his father-in-law's homestead. See Ephraim W. Weber's family.

6138 V SNIDER, MARY ANN, was born February

26th, 1861. She is married to Israel Groff, a farmer. See No. 3355.

6139 V SNIDER, RACHEL, was born July 23rd, 1863. She is unmarried and resides at home with her parents.

6140 V SNIDER, REBECCA, was born June 24th, 1865. She is married to John C. Bricker, a farmer. See No. 1245.

6141 IV SNIDER, MARY, was born December 4th, 1822. On October 17th, 1843, she was married to Rev. Peter Martin. They reside a little south of Elmira. See Rev. Peter Martin's family.

6142 IV SNIDER, HENRY S., was born November 1st, 1824. On December 23rd, 1851, he was married to Mary, daughter of Benjamin and Catharine (Saltzberger) Snyder. Soon after his marriage he moved to Woolwich Township, a few miles west of Elmira where he is the owner of a beautiful farm and where he still resides. His family consisted of eight children, viz:

6143 V SNIDER, JOSHUA S., was born February 17th, 1853. He is married to Lydia Jane Clemens (No. 1692) and resides on 4th Line, Peel Township, Wellington County, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Emanuel, VI Emma, VI Abraham, VI Lydia Ann, VI Clayton, VI Elizabeth, VI Henry, VI Clemens, and VI Cerenus.

6144 V SNIDER, CATHARINE, was born October 3rd, 1854. She is married to Elias W. Bricker. See No. 1243.

6145 V SNIDER, REUBEN S., was born April 4th,

1857. He is married to Susannah Eby (No. 2398). They reside in Woolwich Township, not far from Floradale, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Angeline, VI Sarah, VI Mary Ann, VI Rachel, VI Susannah, VI Ida May, VI Clarence, VI Amos, and VI Alice.

6146 V SNIDER, MAGDALENA, was born April 19th, 1860. She is unmarried and resides at home with her parents.

6147 V SNIDER, ELI S., was born April 7th, 1862, and died November 13th, 1865.

6148 V SNIDER, PAUL S., was born April 9th, 1864. He is not married and is home, assisting to perform the many duties connected with farm life.

6149 V SNIDER, LOVINA, was born October 9th, 1866. She is home and unmarried.

6150 V SNIDER, ANGELINE, was born April 3rd, 1876. She is home with her parents.

6151 IV SNIDER, JOHN S., was born November 12th, 1826. On October 7th, 1851, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Henry and Christina (Berket) Kraft. She was born October 15th, 1832. In fall of 1859 they moved to Elkhart County, Indiana, and from there, in 1864, to Chickasaw County, Iowa, near Bradford P. O., where he died October 15th, 1877. His family† is as follows:

6152 V SNIDER, LUCY, was born October 18th, 1852, and died August 18th, 1870.

6153 V SNIDER, CHRISTINA, was born February 15th, 1854. She is married to Leander Ames. They reside in Chickasaw County, Iowa.

† No information in regard to his children's residence, trade, or to whom married.

6154 V SNIDER, ALEXANDER, was born December 16th, 1855, and died December 25th, 1856.

6155 V SNIDER, LEAH, born February 28th, 1860.

6156 V SNIDER, MENNO, born August 27th, 1861.

6157 V SNIDER, ALBERT, born August 7th, 1863.

6158 V SNIDER, ANNIE, born September 7th, 1865, died August 24th, 1888.

6159 V SNIDER, *JOHN HENRY, born September 13th, 1867.

6160 V SNIDER, *IRA K., born September 13th, 1867, died same day.

6161 V SNIDER, *ODO K., born September 13th, 1867 died same day.

6162 V SNIDER, MARY JANE, born July 17th, 1872.

6163 V SNIDER, JESSE, born May 1st, 1874.

6164 IV SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born April 2nd, 1829. On November 30th, 1847, she was married to Peter M. Musselman. They reside near Conestogo. See Peter M. Musselman's family.

6165 IV SNIDER, REBECCA, was born August 13th, 1831. On February 24th, 1852, she was married to Eli H. Baumann, a farmer. See Nos. 159 to 171.

6166 IV SNIDER, MAGDALENA, was born June 30th, 1833. On February 3rd, 1856, she was married to Enoch Eby, a farmer. See Nos. 2409 to 2419.

6167 IV SNYDER, BENJAMIN S., was born October 2nd, 1835. On April 13th, 1862, he was married to Lovina Vincent who was born February 19th, 1841, and died May 8th, 1891. After his marriage he took

* Triplets.

possession of his father's old homestead known as the "Oxbow Farm" a little west of Bloomingdale where he is still engaged in farming. His family is as follows:

6168 V SNYDER, NANCY, was born February 28th, 1863, and died August 18th, 1863.

6169 V SNYDER, LOUISA, was born February 4th, 1864. On September 10th, 1885, she was married to William Bracey, a carpenter. They reside in Lexington and have one child named VI Pearl Lovina.

6170 V SNYDER, LYDIA ANN, was born November 21st, 1865. On January 3rd, 1888, she was married to William H. Bedford. To them are born the following children, namely: VI William H., VI Ethel G., VI Edith G., and VI Alice W.

6171 V SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born February 2nd, 1868, and died happy in the Lord August 3rd, 1887.

6172 V SNYDER, ALICE, was born November 18th, 1869. She is home and unmarried.

6173 V SNYDER, MELISSA, was born September 19th, 1871. She is also home yet.

6174 V SNYDER, FERNANDO, was born April 4th, 1873. He is home, assisting his father on the farm.

6175 V SNYDER, SYDNEY, was born June 2nd, 1875.

6176 V SNYDER, EDEN S., was born December 6th, 1878, and died October 3rd, 1882.

6177 V SNYDER, ELMORE, was born September 23rd, 1884.

6178 IV SNIDER, CHRISTIAN, was born September

14th, 1837, and left Canada for the United States at the outbreak of the civil war with the intention of serving in the army. He died in Indiana, U. S., May 2nd, 1862, and was not married.

6179 III SNIDER, NANCY, was born June 4th, 1792. She was married to Benjamin W. Bowman and died May 11th, 1837. See Nos. 303 to 354.

6180 III SNYDER, JACOB, Jr., was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, January 15th, 1794. He was twelve years of age when his parents moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near Bloomingdale, where young Jacob was raised. In February, 1818, he was married to Mary Baumann (No. 51) who was born May 25th, 1794, and died March 12th, 1826. Some time after the decease of his first wife he was again married to Magdalena Baumann (No. 53), sister to his first wife. Soon after his marriage he moved on the farm now possessed by Rev. Menno B. Bowman where he resided until his death which took place October 23rd, 1862. His family consisted of ten children, of whom six were born unto his first wife. Their names are as follows:

6181 IV SNYDER, ISAAC, was born January 14th, 1819. He is unmarried and has his home with his nephew, Ephraim W. Snyder who resides at Bloomingdale.

6182 IV SNYDER, LEAH, was born April 29th, 1820. On October 15th, 1844, she was married to David S. Snider, a farmer. See David S. Snider's family.

6183 IV SNYDER, POLLY, was born May 6th, 1821. She was never married and has her home in Conestogo with Mr. Noah S. Bowman.

6184 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born June 10th, 1822. On March 26th, 1844, she was married to

Jacob S. Snider, a farmer. See Jacob S. Snider's family.

6185 IV SNYDER, BENJAMIN B., was born October 3rd, 1823. On March 27th, 1845, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Isaac and Esther (Bechtel) Shantz. She was born April 19th, 1825, and died April 19th, 1887. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm now in possession of their son, Jonathan, where they resided until her death. At present he has his home with his daughter, Jemima, who is married to Mr. A. S. Shantz. Mr. Snyder's family consisted of seven children, viz:

6186 V SNYDER, ESTHER, was born December 14th, 1846. She is married to Tilman S. Shantz, a farmer. See Tilman S. Shantz's family.

6187 V SNYDER, LEAH, was born November 27th, 1849. She is married to Aaron S. Shantz, a farmer. See Aaron S. Shantz's family.

6188 V SNYDER, BARBARA, was born April 25th, 1852. She is unmarried and has her home with her brother, Jonathan.

6189 V SNYDER, JONATHAN S., was born February 28th, 1855. On May 14th, 1878, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Samuel and Anna (Snider) Snider. She was born October 11th, 1857. Soon after his marriage he moved home on his father's farm where he still resides and is now engaged in farming on an extensive scale. Some years ago he purchased Mr. George Schneider's farm, adjoining that of the old homestead on which he resides. His family consists of three children, namely: VI Milton, VI Clementina, and VI Lucy.

6190 V SNYDER, LUCY ANN, was born May 26th, 1857. On April 1st, 1879, she was married to Jonas B. Snider. They resided on the old "Rev. Elias Snider Farm" near Waterloo where she died June 15th, 1886, leaving a family of four children, namely:

VI Edgar, VI Clayton, VI Deldon, and VI Addison. See Rev. Jonas B. Snider's family.

6191 V SNYDER, EZRA S., was born June 12th, 1859. On March 13th, 1888, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Jacob and Magdalena (Cressman) Miller. She was born January 23rd, 1861. They reside in Lexington, near Bridgeport, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one child named VI Minnie.

6192 V SNYDER, JEMIMA, was born February 23rd, 1864. On December 2nd, 1885, she was married to Amos S. Shantz, a farmer. See Amos S. Shantz's family.

6193 IV SNYDER, MOSES B., was born March 12th, 1826. On March 16th, 1847, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Henry and Mary (Cressman) Wismer. She was born March 28th, 1824. Some time after their marriage they moved a little east of Bloomingdale, on the farm now possessed by their son, Amos, where he died of fever, February 16th, 1868. Their family is as follows, viz:

6194 V SNYDER, MARY, was born November 28th, 1847. On February 22nd, 1874, she was married to John C. Shantz, a farmer. See John C. Shantz's family.

6195 V SNYDER, AMOS W., was born April 16th, 1849. On February 15th, 1874, he was married to Lydia, daughter of Benjamin and Lydia (Kolb) Shantz. She was born August 17th, 1851. They reside on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of three children, viz:

6196 VI SNYDER, URBAN, born March 24th, 1875.

6197 VI SNYDER, LIZZIE, born June 2nd, 1877.

6198 VI SNYDER, ALVIN, born February 27th, 1879.

6199 V SNYDER, HENRY W., was born February 11th, 1851. He was first married to Sarah, daughter of Benjamin and Lydia (Kolb) Shantz. She was born April 1st, 1854, and died April 10th, 1878. Some time after her decease he was again married to Elizabeth, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Snider) Snider. She was born March 19th, 1854, and died in Bloomingdale, January 20th, 1883. Some time after the decease of his second wife he was married the third time. His third wife was Miss Lena Maas. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan, where he is engaged in building and contracting. To each one of his three wives was born one son, namely: V Elah, born May 3rd, 1876, of first wife, VI Elton, born January 20th, 1883, and died January 22nd, 1883, of second wife, and VI Ira Ivan of present wife.

6200 V SNYDER, ABRAHAM W., was born December 19th, 1852, and died January 11th, 1853.

6201 V SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born January 1st, 1854. On January 21st, 1875, she was married to John S. Frey who was born January 16th, 1848. They reside about a mile west of Breslau, on old John M. Weber's farm. To them was born a family as follows, namely: VI Ephraim, VI Abram†, VI John, VI Henry, VI Catharine, VI Elizabeth, VI Susannah, VI Isaac, VI Benjamin, VI Josiah, and VI Jechoniah.

6202 V SNYDER, JACOB W., was born May 4th, 1856. On June 8th, 1878, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Henry and Margaret (Brehm) Snider. She was born October 15th, 1858. They reside near

† Was accidentally killed by a runaway team.

Freeport where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Alberta Lorena, VI Luella Florence, and VI Harvey Alton.

6203 V SNYDER, EPHRAIM W., was born March 5th, 1858. On March 14th, 1880, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Peter and Catharine (Fry) Eby (No. 2641). They reside about a mile southeast of Bloomingdale where he is engaged in farming and gardening. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Hannah (dead), VI Hiram (dead), and VI Jeremiah.

6204 V SNYDER, ISAAC W., was born March 5th, 1858. He resides at Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged as a carpenter in the woollen mills. Some time ago he was married to Malinda Weber of Harriston, Ontario.

6205 V SNYDER, MENNO W., was born October 6th, 1864. He is a wage earner and resides at Caledonia, Michigan. He is not married.

6206 IV SNYDER, JOHN B., the eldest son of Jacob Snyder, Jr., and his second wife, Magdalena Bowman, was born near Bloomingdale, October 24th, 1832. His boyhood days were spent on the farm during the summer, and during the winter he attended the public school of the neighborhood, receiving such an education as the schools then furnished. Being of a studious nature, he improved his time so well that he soon surpassed all the other members of his class. Having an idea of the advantages of a good education, his father had him placed in the Rockwood Acadamy where he remained for several terms. By the time he attained the age of seventeen years he was qualified to teach in our public schools. He taught for a short time then commenced life as a clerk. About the year 1855 he and his brother, Joseph, entered into partnership and opened a large

store in Winterbourne where they did a successful business. In 1862 Mr. Snyder sold out his interest in the business and went to Conestogo where he, in partnership with Mr. Noah S. Bowman, opened a large and well stocked store. The partnership existed until 1872 when it was dissolved and Mr. Snyder retired from business for some time. In 1874 he moved to St. Jacobs where he again entered into the mercantile business, following it until his death which took place September 9th, 1885. Mr. Snyder's experience in the municipal council for Woolwich Township extended over a number of years, many of which he served as reeve, and was also warden of the county of Waterloo. In 1859 he was united in matrimony with Sarah, daughter of the late Henry and Elizabeth (Snider) Snider. She was born October 2nd, 1840, and died October 14th, 1894. To them were born seven children, viz:

6207 V SNYDER, WILLIAM HENRY, was born April 7th, 1860. He resides in St. Jacobs where he is engaged in the mercantile business, and also has a large interest in the St. Jacobs creamery. He is not married.

6208 V SNYDER, CLARA, was born October 24th, 1861. She is unmarried and is home with her brothers for whom she is keeping house.

6209 V SNYDER, ALFRED, was born November 25th, 1864. He is married to Clara W. Snider and resides in St. Jacobs where he, in partnership with his brother William is doing an extensive business in general merchandise.

6210 V SNYDER, NOAH, was born December 31st, 1867. He is unmarried and is engaged as clerk with his brothers.

6211 V SNYDER, ALICE, was born November 29th, 1870. She is unmarried and resides at home with her sister, Clara.

6212 V SNYDER, ISRAEL DAVID, was born July 4th, 1874. He is a book keeper and at present is engaged by his brothers in St. Jacobs.

6213 V SNYDER, CHARLES ANDREW, was born July 13th, 1876, and died January 23rd, 1878.

6214 IV SNYDER, JOSEPH B., was born December 2nd, 1833. After spending his boyhood on his father's farm at Bloomingdale he went to Winterbourne, Woolwich Township, Ontario, where he was engaged in the mercantile calling for some time. After selling out his interest in the business he settled on a farm about one mile south of Winterbourne where he is still engaged in farming. On April 12th, 1857, he was married to Naomi, daughter of Jacob D. and Jane (Dunbar) Shoemaker. She was born June 2nd, 1838. They have five children, viz:

6215 V SNYDER, NELSON, was born February 24th, 1858. He is married to Leah Snider and resides in Woolwich Township, a little west of Montrose, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Emma, VI Orval, and VI Edna.

6216 V SNYDER, ALLEN, was born May 3rd, 1860. He was married to Rebecca Brubacher (No. 1428) and resided on a farm near Bridgeport where he died of fever March 7th, 1891, leaving a family of four children, namely: VI Ella, VI Ammon, VI Newton, and VI Allen.

6217 V SNYDER, JANE, was born September 16th, 1863. She is not married and resides home with her parents.

6218 V SNYDER, NORMAN, was born April 24th, 1872. He is unmarried and is home, working the farm.

6219 V SNYDER, MALINDA, was born August 8th,

1875. She is home with her parents and is not married.

6220 IV SNYDER, JESSE B., was born September 14th, 1836. On February 2nd, 1858, he was married to Susannah Burkholder (No. 1519). After their marriage they moved to Bloomingdale where they resided until 1858, then they moved on the old "Burkholder Farm" north of Waterloo, now possessed by C. Huether, where they resided until October 14th, 1875, when they moved to Woolwich Township, one mile north of Floradale, where they still reside. He followed farming many years but now lives retired in comfort and ease. To them were born eight children, viz:

6221 V SNYDER, ALEXANDER, was born January 1st, 1859, and died May 22nd, 1863.

6222 V SNYDER, ALBERT B., was born January 23rd, 1861. He is married to Lizzie Ruggle. They reside at Floradale where he is engaged as a clerk in his father-in-law's store. They have no family.

6223 V SNYDER, EDWARD B., was born April 22nd, 1864. He is married to Lizzie Schneider and resides near Floradale where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one child named VI Viola Pearl.

6224 V SNYDER, ADDISON B., was born May 28th, 1866. He is married to Lizzie Ann Weber. They reside in Woolwich Township, east of Elmira, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of two children, namely: VI Daniel and VI Laura.

6225 V SNYDER, JESSE B., was born February 27th, 1871. He is married to Mary Ann Umbach and

resides in Woolwich Township where he is engaged in farming. They have one child named VI Florence Lillie.

6226 V SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born January 3rd, 1873. She is unmarried and at present resides with one of her brothers.

6227 V SNYDER, MARTHA, was born February 10th, 1876. She is home with her parents.

6228 IV SNYDER, SUSAN, was born December 2nd, 1838. She is married to Rev. Menno B. Bowman. They reside at Bloomingdale on her father's old homestead. See Nos. 363 to 374.

6229 III SNYDER, POLLY, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, January 8th, 1796. On July 20th, 1817, she was married to Jonathan B. Bowman. They resided near Bloomingdale where she died February 28th, 1883. See Nos. 207 to 235.

6230 III SNYDER, BENJAMIN, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, January 15th, 1798. When a lad of eight years of age his parents moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near Bloomingdale, where he was raised. On October 21st, 1823, he was married to Catharine, daughter of John Philip and Veronica (Gingerich) Saltzberger. She was born June 1st, 1806, and died January 3rd, 1869. After his marriage he moved a little to the north of Bloomingdale where he was the owner of several hundred acres of land. He died April 18th, 1861, leaving a family of thirteen children, viz:

6231 IV SNYDER, SAMUEL S., was born November 8th, 1824. On December 15th, 1846, he was married to Susannah Eby (No. 2384). They resided in Woolwich Township, on the farm now in possession of

his brother, Daniel S., where he died May 22nd, 1862. To them was born a family of four children, viz:

6232 V SNYDER, VERONICA, was born October 4th, 1847. She is married to Abraham C. Cressman, a farmer. See Nos. 2132 to 2136.

6233 V SNYDER, ELIZA, was born September 28th, 1848. She is married to David Bingeman, a farmer. See No. 1066.

6234 V SNYDER, TILMAN E., was born May 16th, 1850, and died July 10th, 1874.

6235 V SNYDER, NOAH E., was born June 26th, 1852. On October 3rd, 1877, he was married to Susannah E. Baldwin. In April, 1879, he moved to Archibald, Manitoba, sixty miles west of Emerson, where he is engaged in farming.

6236 IV SNYDER, JOHN S., was born March 24th, 1826, and died April 26th, 1826.

6237 IV SNYDER, JOSEPH S., was born June 27th 1827. On May 15th, 1853, he was married to Lydia, daughter of David and Polly (Lyons) Weber. They reside several miles east of Winterbourne where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, viz:

6238 V SNYDER, NANCY, was born December 3rd, 1853, and died December 29th, 1853.

6239 V SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born October 27th, 1855, and died July 1st, 1859.

6240 V SNYDER, AARON W., was born October 5th, 1857. He is unmarried and home on the farm.

6241 V SNYDER, MENNO W., was born February 9th,

1860. On March 11th, 1885, he was married to Mary Weber who was born August 9th, 1860. They reside near Winterbourne, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them was born a large family.

6242 V SNYDER, JOSEPH W., was born August 24th, 1860. He is unmarried and resides at home with his parents where he is engaged in farming.

6243 IV SNYDER, VERONICA, was born June 17th, 1829. On July 3rd, 1849, she was married to Jacob Shoemaker, a farmer. See Jacob Shoemaker's family.

6244 IV SNYDER, PETER, was born June 30th, 1831. He had his home with his brother Benjamin who resides on the old homestead where he died January 2nd, 1895.

6245 IV SNYDER, MARY, was born October 18th, 1832, On December 23rd, 1851, she was married to Henry S. Snider, a farmer. See Henry S. Snider's family.

6246 IV SNYDER, DILMAN, was born July 11th, 1834. He was married to Anna, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Wenger) Weber. She was born March 31st, 1842. They reside in Conestogo, Ontario, where they live retired. His family consists of one son named V Dilman S. who was born October 15th, 1869. He is unmarried and is engaged on the farm.

6247 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born February 1st, 1836. On March 15th, 1857, she was married to George Shoemaker, a farmer. See George Shoemaker's family.

6248 IV SNYDER, DANIEL S., was born December 5th, 1837. He was educated at the Bloomingdale schools and when old enough to give a helping hand on his father's extensive

farm, the subject of our sketch had to put by his books and slate and go and drive the plow. Although devoting his attention chiefly to the agricultural pursuits, yet he found some spare moments which he very beneficially employed in posting himself in all political and municipal matters pertaining to his country. Soon after his moving to Woolwich Township he entered the council of that township and was councillor, deputy reeve and reeve in succession for a number of years. While in the council he was more noted for assiduous attention to business and a watchful care of the interests of the township than for oratorial display. He always gave his views in plain but forcible language. During the many years he served in the council he was chairman of various committees, such as roads, bridges, claims, etc., and such was the confidence placed in him by his compeers that his reports and recommendations were generally adopted. In his habits he is plain and simple and at all times willing to accommodate and serve any person that requires his aid. On November 4th, 1860, he was married to Nancy, daughter of David and Mary (Mosser) Reist. She was born December 26th, 1840. Soon after their marriage they moved to Woolwich Township, about two miles north of Conestogo where he owns a farm of over 200 acres of land. To them were born eleven children, viz:

6249 V SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born May 22nd, 1862. She is married to Justus D. Shaefer, a farmer. They reside a few miles east of Elmira and have had a family of three children, namely: VI Sylvester, VI Oscar, and VI Priscilla (dead).

6250 V SNYDER, WILLIAM R., was born October 30th, 1863. He is home on the farm and unmarried.

6251 V SNYDER, ALBERT R., was born January 8th, 1865. He is home and unmarried.

6252 V SNYDER, LEVI R., was born September 11th, 1867. He is not married and is home on the farm.

6253 V SNYDER, DANIEL R., was born October 3rd, 1871, and died November 28th, 1876.

6254 V SNYDER, EDWARD R., was born January 26th, 1873. He is home yet and unmarried.

6255 V SNYDER, DAVID HENRY, was born March 30th, 1876, and died November 25th, 1876.

6256 V SNYDER, ANGELINE, twin sister to David H., was born March 30th, 1876.

6257 V SNYDER, SOLOMON R., was born April 29th, 1878.

6258 V SNYDER, CATHARINE, was born September 17th, 1880, and died November 10th, 1881.

6259 V SNYDER, OSCAR R., was born November 21st, 1883.

6260 IV SNYDER, ELIZABETH S., was born November 6th, 1839, and died December 28th, 1839.

6261 IV SNYDER, BENJAMIN S., was born November 13th, 1840. On June 21st, 1863, he was married to Sarah, daughter of Abraham and Mary (Miller) Shoemaker. She was born May 9th, 1841. They reside on his father's old homestead. To them are born eleven children, viz:

6262 V SNYDER, JOANNAH, was born April 11th, 1864. She is unmarried and is engaged in sewing and dressmaking.

6263 V SNYDER, WELLINGTON, was born September 6th, 1865. On June 14th, 1893, he was married to Jennie A. Pirie. They reside near Bloomingdale where he is engaged in farming. They have had a family of one child.

6264 V SNYDER, ELIZA JANE, was born March 1st, 1867. She is married to Thomas Hamilton, a farmer.

They reside on his father's old homestead near Winterbourne where he is engaged in farming.

6265 V SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born February 19th, 1869. She is unmarried and resides at home with her parents.

6266 V SNYDER, SARAH, was born June 5th, 1870. She is unmarried and is home with her parents.

6267 V SNYDER, ELMINA, was born July 3rd, 1872, and died April 19th, 1873.

6268 V SNYDER, GEORGE WALTER, was born March 13th, 1874.

6269 V SNYDER, LEANDER, was born June 15th, 1876.

6270 V SNYDER, ABRAHAM URBAN, was born April 29th, 1879, and died in 1895.

6271 V SNYDER, BENJAMIN ALEXANDER, twin to Abraham, was born April 29th, 1879.

6272 V SNYDER, SAMUEL ADDISON, was born June 30th, 1882.

6273 IV SNYDER, MOSES S., was born July 24th, 1842. On December 10th, 1867, he was married to Susannah, daughter of David and Mary (Mosser) Reist. She was born July 23rd, 1843. They reside on east half of his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows:

6274 V SNYDER, ANGELINE, was born August 3rd, 1869, died same day.

6275 V SNYDER, MELISSA, was born October 14th, 1870. She is home and unmarried.

6276 V SNYDER, SIMON R., was born March 22nd, 1873. He is home and unmarried.

6277 V SNYDER, MARIA SABINA, was born November 10th, 1875. She is home yet.

6278 V SNYDER, CATHARINE MELVINA, was born December 30th, 1877.

6279 V SNYDER, CLARA ELMA, was born October 14th, 1880.

6280 IV SNYDER, NANCY, was born November 22nd, 1847, and died January 2nd, 1854.

6281 III SNYDER, JOHN, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, March 1st, 1800. In 1806 his parents, Jacob and Mary (Erb) Schneider, moved to Canada and settled near Bloomingdale where Mr. Snyder was raised. On May 14th, 1826, he was married to Judith (No. 1045), daughter of John and Hannah (Bergey) Bingeman. She was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, December 8th, 1807, and died January 28th, 1880. After their marriage they moved several miles north of Bloomingdale where they resided until their deaths. He died February 19th, 1893. To them was born a family of the following children, viz:

6282 IV SNYDER, JONAS B., was born May 26th, 1827. On July 16th, 1850, he was married to Nancy, daughter of Joseph and Rebecca (Rosenberger) Stauffer. She was born January 15th, 1834. They reside on a farm, being part of the old homestead, situated along the Woolwich Township line. Their family is as follows:

6283 V SNYDER, JOSEPH S., was born March 25th, 1851. On April 14th, 1874, he was married to Lucinda Snyder who was born October 30th, 1853. They reside on the old "Jonathan Bowman Farm" a little north of Bloomingdale. Their family is as

follows, namely: VI Ervine A., VI Herbert N., VI Lillia Ann A. (dead), VI Alfred Ira, VI Elmina I., VI Irene Jemima, VI Lucy Lauretta, VI Ion Joseph, VI Elenor Elidia.

6284 V SNYDER, SUSANNAH S., was born August 13th, 1852. On June 18th, 1884, she was married to William Snyder, a farmer. See William Snyder's family.

6285 V SNYDER, LEVI S., was born June 17th, 1855. On February 26th, 1880, he was married to Hannah B. Clemens (No. 1842). They reside near Bridgeport, on the "Young Peter Erb Place" where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

6286 V SNYDER, ANGELINE, was born April 5th, 1860. On February 23rd, 1887, she was married to Amos Horst, a farmer. They reside on her father's home where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

6287 V SNYDER, ALICE AMANDA, was born October 29th, 1869. She is married to Solomon Koch. They reside near Conestogo on the old "Samuel Reist Place" where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

6288 IV SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born April 18th, 1829. On May 14th, 1850, she was married to Samuel Scheirich, a farmer. See Samuel Scheirich's family.

6289 IV SNYDER, HANNAH, was born July 12th, 1831. On June 10th, 1851, she was married to William B. Thomas, a teacher. See William B. Thomas' family.

6290 IV SNYDER, ESTHER, was born February 22nd,

1834. On November 27th, 1859, she was married to Levi Stauffer, a farmer. See Levi Stauffer's family.

6291 IV SNYDER, HENRY, was born July 12th, 1836. He resides on the old homestead where he and his brothers are working the old farm. He is not married.

6292 IV SNYDER, POLLY, was born April 28th, 1838. She is keeping house for her brothers. She is not married.

6293 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born June 1st, 1840. On February 27th, 1872, she was married to John C. Albert, a farmer. They reside near Kossuth, Ontario. To them were born four children, viz:

V JUDITH AMELIA was born November 29th, 1872. She is married to George Peiffer and resides near Preston, Ontario. They have one child named VI Emma.

V RACHEL JOANNA was born April 17th, 1875. She is married to Albert Groh. They reside near Blair, Ontario, and have two children, VI Mary and a son, name not received.

V ANNA ISABELLA was born July 26th, 1877.

V SUSANNAH MATILDA, born April 21st, 1880.

6294 IV SNYDER, JUDITH, was born March 28th, 1843. She is unmarried and resides with her sister, Polly, whom she assists in performing the many duties connected with domestic life.

6295 IV SNYDER, JOHN, was born May 25th, 1845, and died January 23rd, 1850.

6296 IV SNYDER, JACOB, was born August 17th, 1847. He is unmarried and is engaged on the old homestead in assisting his brothers in working the farm.

6297 IV SNYDER, ELIAS, was born October 20th, 1849, and died August 15th, 1879. He was not married.

6298 V SNIDER MENNO S., was born October 4th, 1860. His boyhood was spent on the farm and in attending the Bloomingdale public schools. Some time during the "seventies" he attended the Berlin High School where he obtained a splendid education. After leaving the High School he went to teaching and followed it with marked success for some time, but the profession being not so very agreeable to his taste, he quit teaching and went home on the farm where he now is engaged in farming. Mr. Snider is an excellent farmer and is highly esteemed by all parties in the community. He is not married.

6299 III SCHNEIDER, ELIZABETH, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, June 5th, 1802, and died at Bloomingdale, Ontario, July 28th, 1848. She was never married. Her mental powers and her organs of speech were somewhat defective.

6300 III SCHNEIDER, SUSANNAH, was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, June 4th, 1804. She was married to Jacob P. Shantz, a farmer, and died near Bloomingdale, Ontario, April 2nd, 1837. See Jacob P. Shantz's family.

6301 III SCHNEIDER, MAGDALENA, was born at Bloomingdale, Ontario, December 6th, 1806. In December, 1831, she was married to Levi L. Bechtel and died at Mr. Snyder's near Bloomingdale, Ontario, May 30th, 1895. See Nos. 688 to 706.

6302 III SNIDER, HENRY, the youngest of old Jacob Schneider's large family, was born near Bloomingdale, Ontario, February 2nd, 1811. On March 27th, 1836, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob C. and Elizabeth (Cressman) Snider. She was born April 19th, 1817. Soon after his marriage he

moved on his father's old homestead where she died January 13th, 1855. Some time after the decease of his wife he was again married to Margaret, daughter of Conrad and Margaret (Kraft) Brehm. She was born October 9th, 1836. Besides being proprietor of the large farm now in possession of his son, Josiah, Mr. Snider was owner of the large roller flour mills in Conestogo, now in possession of his son, Menno S. He and the late Samuel S. Shantz always took an active part in all municipal matters pertaining to their native township and county, Waterloo. Mr. Snider was one of the first parties advocating the necessity of forming a County Agricultural Society, and after its formation was chosen as one of its first directors which position he held for many years in succession. He died January 22nd, 1877. After his decease his widow moved to St. Jacobs where she still resides. Mr. Snider's family is as follows, viz:

6303 IV SNIDER, NOAH, was born January 19th, 1837, and died September 26th, 1858.

6304 IV SNYDER, MENNO S., was born August 22nd, 1838. When a young man he entered his father's mills in Conestogo where he served his apprenticeship in the business which he has so successfully carried on for the last twenty years. Shortly before his father's death he became the proprietor of the Conestogo Roller Flour Mills. Some four years ago he purchased the Salem Mills and is now engaged in manufacturing some of the finest brands of flour put on the market. Mr. Snider is well known by the farmers of Woolwich and other townships and is highly respected by all. He is a first-class business man and courteous and pleasing in manners, thus making him one of our highly esteemed citizens of the county. On November 6th, 1865, he was married to Harriet Fields who was born January 30th, 1845. They reside in Conestogo and have had a family of seven children, viz:

6305 V SNIDER, IDA, was born September 30th, 1866. She is home and unmarried.

6306 V SNIDER, WALTER JAMES, was born Sep-

tember 30th, 1869. He is married to Elena Kuntz and resides in Conestogo where he is engaged in his father's mills. His family is as follows, namely: VI Leonora and VI Hilda.

6307 V SNIDER, EMMA MAUD, born January 10th, 1872, died March 18th, 1875.

6308 V SNIDER, ELENOR GRACE, born September 11th, 1874.

6309 V SNIDER, OLIVER ARTHUR, born December 2nd, 1876.

6310 V SNIDER, MABEL ANNIE, born August 2nd, 1879.

6311 V SNIDER, ROLPH, born September 20th, 1882.

6312 V SNIDER, HARRIET, born April 11th, 1890.

6313 IV SNIDER, SARAH, was born October 2nd, 1840. She was married to the late Jno. B. Snyder and died October 14th, 1894. See John B. Snyder's family.

6314 IV SNIDER, AARON, was born May 31st, 1843. He resides in Woolwich Township† a little south of Floradale where he is engaged in farming. He is married to Caroline Reichert who was born September 4th, 1851. To them was born a family of nine children, viz:

6315 V SNIDER, AUSTIN ERVIN, born May 18, 1872.

6316 V SNIDER, LAURA ANNIE, born September 7th, 1873, and died January 15th, 1893.

6317 V SNIDER, HARVEY EDWIN, born July 5th, 1875, died February 8th, 1888.

6318 V SNIDER, ALMON ARTHUR, born December 13th, 1876.

† Mr. Snider's farm is composed of S. E. part of lot No. 116, G. C. T., Woolwich Tp.

6319 V SNIDER, ORTON, born September 20th, 1878.

6320 V SNIDER, MARTHA INA, born August 19, 1880.

6321 V SNIDER, IDA MINERVA, born July 14, 1882.

6322 V SNIDER, CLARA MABEL, born December 18th, 1883.

6323 V SNIDER, ALICE JEMIMA, born March 31st, 1886.

6324 IV SNYDER, SIMON S., was born March 31st, 1846. He is a chemist and druggist and is doing an extensive business in the town of Waterloo where he carries a complete line of drugs, chemicals, druggists' sundries and pharmacentical preparations. The stock in trade is of excellent quality, nothing but first-class goods being kept. Mr. Snider is a gentleman of energy and sound business ability. Moreover he takes a great interest in the progress of the town of which he has been councillor and reeve, and is now mayor for the second year. He is highly esteemed by the citizens of the town and surrounding country. On April 30th, 1872, he was married to Elizabeth Schnarr who was born March 29th, 1852, and died March 30th, 1890. After her decease he was again married to Matilda Roos, widow of the late Cyrus Bricker. Mr. Snyder's family is as follows, viz:

6325 V SNYDER, HERBERT MAPLIN, born April 21st, 1873.

6326 V SNYDER, ALFRED HARTMAN, born August 6th, 1875.

6327 V SNYDER, MINNIE EMMA, born May 20, 1877.

6328 V SNYDER, ALBERTA LUCINA, born June 30th, 1879.

6329 V SNYDER, VICTOR CHARLES, born May 24th, 1881, died May 21st, 1884.

6330 V SNYDER, FLORENCE MAUD, born June 2nd, 1883.

6331 V SNYDER, CLAYTON HARVEY, born July 7th, 1885.

6332 IV SNIDER, RACHEL, was born May 13th, 1848, and died August 18th, 1848.

6333 IV SNIDER, SUSANNAH, was born October 7th, 1849. She is married to Isaac E. Wismer, a farmer. They reside near Elmira, Ontario. See Isaac E. Wismer's family.

6334 IV SNIDER, JOSIAH, was born December 3rd, 1851. He is the occupant of the old "Jacob Schneider Homestead" near Bloomingdale where he is engaged in farming. Besides farming, Mr. Snider is engaged in doing an extensive business in the buying and selling of fat cattle which he generally ships to the English market. On November 24th, 1872, he was married to Angeline Martin who was born February 5th, 1855, and died March 28th, 1873. On January 15th, 1879, he was again married to Jemima J. T. Wright. She was born November 26th, 1854. He has no family.

6335 IV SNIDER, ELIZABETH, was born March 19th, 1854. She was married to Henry W. Snyder and died at Bloomingdale, January 20th, 1883. See Henry W. Snyder's family.

6336 IV SNYDER, REUBEN B., was born May 21st, 1857. On March 29th, 1882, he was married to Matilda Weber. They reside near Conestogo where he is engaged in farming. To them is born one son named V Emerson.

6337 IV SNYDER, MARY ANN B., was born October 15th, 1858. On June 8th, 1878, she was married to Jacob W. Snyder, a farmer. See Jacob W. Snyder's family.

6338 IV SNYDER, LEAH B., was born January 10th, 1861. On April 11th, 1882, she was married to Nelson Snyder, a farmer. See Nelson Snyder's family.

6339 IV SNYDER, GIDEON B., was born March 24th, 1863. He is married to Esther Musselman and resides near Conestogo where he is engaged in farming.

6340 IV SNYDER, LYDIAN B., was born May 3rd, 1865. She was married to Simom Moyer who was killed by lightning, August 9th, 1892. She resides in St. Jacobs, Ontario, and has her home with her mother. See Simon Moyer's family.

6341 IV SNYDER, CLARA B., was born August 12th, 1867. On January 1st, 1890, she was married to Allan Eby who was killed by lightning, August 9th, 1892, leaving a widow who now resides with her mother in St. Jacobs. Her family consists of two children, namely: V Clayton, born November 26th, 1891, and V Allan Leslie, born April 19th, 1893.

6342 IV SNYDER, ALLAN B., the youngest in the family, was born September 16th, 1870. He is unmarried and at present resides in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged in the upholstery business.

6343 II SCHNEIDER, PETER, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 28th, 1765. He was married to Mary Langenecker who was born October 16th, 1778, and died November 13th, 1824. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, near Mount Joy, where he was engaged in farming and milling. He died September 1st, 1823, leaving the following children, namely: III Peter, a farmer, moved to Orrville, Ohio; III John, a farmer, moved to Dauphin County, Pennsylvania; III

Jacob, a farmer and miller, lived near Mount Joy, Pennsylvania; III Polly was married to a Mr. Risser and lived near Lititz, Pennsylvania; III Catharine was married to a Mr. Frank and lived near Lititz, Pennsylvania; and III Nancy was married to a Mr. Coble and lived in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

6344 II SCHNEIDER, VERONICA, was born July 24th, 1767. She was married to Benjamin Hirschi (Hershey) who was born March 11th, 1768, and died May 7th, 1842. She died May 15th, 1856. To them were born ten children. All lived in the neighborhood of Manheim, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

6345 II SCHNEIDER, JOHN, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 16th, 1770. He was married to Anna Hostetler who was born June 13th, 1772, and died February 5th, 1861. He died January 23rd, 1841, leaving a family of six children who resided in the neighborhood of Sporting Hill, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

6346 II SCHNEIDER, JOSEPH, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 24th, 1772. On February 21st, 1798, he was married to Barbara, daughter of Christian and Catharine (Bricker) Eby. She was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 29th, 1774, and died in Berlin, Ontario, March 13th, 1843. On May 8th, 1807, Mr. Schneider with wife and family and a large company of others,‡ moved to Canada and settled where now is the town of Berlin, Ontario. Here he was engaged in farming. His first buildings were erected where now his grandson, Samuel B. Schneider, lives, a little west of the Walper Block, Berlin. Here he died October 27th, 1843, leaving a family of seven children, viz:

6347 III SCHNEIDER, CATHARINE, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 12th, 1799. On July 8th, 1817 she was married to Joseph

‡ See Vol. I, pages 39, 40, and 41 for particulars.

Shantz who was born June 24th, 1795, and died March 19th, 1882. She died September 15th, 1881. See Joseph Shantz's family.

6348 III SCHNEIDER, JACOB E., was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, September 2nd, 1800. On November 18th, 1827, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Abraham and Molly (Miller) Clemens. She was born February 8th, 1810, and died May 20th, 1870. Soon after his marriage he moved a little east of Berlin, on the farm now possessed by his son, Joseph, where he resided until his death which took place October 2nd, 1884. His family consisted of eleven children, viz:

6349 IV SCHNEIDER, MARY, was born August 14th, 1828, and died September 25th, 1828.

6350 IV SCHNEIDER, MOSES C., was born September 27th, 1829. On October 28th, 1851, he was married to Hannah Shantz who was born June 12th, 1829. Soon after their marriage they moved a little north-east of Bloomingdale, on his father-in-law's farm where they resided until his death which took place August 30th, 1871. His family consisted of six children, viz:

6351 V SNYDER, ALBERT S., was born October 27th, 1853. On April 14th, 1874, he was married to Hettie Detweiler who was born February 21st, 1861. They reside about one and one-half miles north-east of Bloomingdale, on part of his father's old place, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, viz:

6352 VI SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born June 24th, 1875, and died February 1st, 1880.

6353 VI SNYDER, HANNAH, was born December 8th, 1876, and died August 26th, 1877.

6354 VI SNYDER, SUSANNAH, was born May 27th, 1878, and died February 10th, 1880.

6355 VI SNYDER, ADDISON, was born June 23, 1880.

6356 V SNYDER, ENOS S., was born August 26th, 1855. On February 25th, 1879, he was married to Elizabeth Detweiler who was born August 10th, 1855, and died September 2nd, 1888. They resided several miles north-east of Bloomingdale where he was engaged in farming until his death which took place December 21st, 1881, leaving the following family, viz:

6357 VI SNYDER, ABBIE SALINA, was born June 6th, 1880.

6358 VI SNYDER, NORMAN, was born September 20th, 1881, and died December 28th, 1881.

6359 V SNYDER, JOEL, was born June 28th, 1858, and died October 16th, 1866.

6360 V SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born May 28th, 1861. She is home with her mother and unmarried.

6361 V SNYDER, ABRAM S., was born August 19th, 1863. On October 11th, 1887, he was married to Elizabeth S. Detweiler who was born March 14th, 1864. They resided in Huron County, Ontario, for several years but now reside near Midland P. O., Virginia, U. S. To them is born a family of four children, namely: VI Matilda, VI Hannah, VI Susannah, and VI Allan.

6362 V SNYDER, JACOB S., was born December 5th, 1868. He was married to Hettie Stoeckle, January 10th, 1893, and resides on his father's old homestead

several miles north-east of Bloomingdale where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one child named VI Orvan.

6363 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born April 1st, 1832. On February 27th, 1855, she was married to Isaac H. Baumann and died August 8th, 1871. See Nos. 172 to 180.

6364 IV SNYDER, BARBARA, was born July 9th, 1834. On February 28th, 1854, she was married to Isaac S. Cressman, a farmer, and died February 21st, 1864. See Nos. 2172 to 2177.

6365 IV SNYDER, LEAH, was born August 31st, 1836, and died October 25th, 1836.

6366 IV SNYDER, JOSEPH C., was born October 21st, 1837. On October 12th, 1858, he was married to Elizabeth Betzner (No. 949). They reside about two miles east of Berlin, on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. To them were born six children, viz:

6367 V SNYDER, ISADORE B., was born November 15th, 1859. On November 19th, 1884, he was married to Hannah Bingeman (No. 1086). They reside on the old "William (Bill) Moyer Farm" a little east of Berlin where he is engaged in farming and raising vegetables for the market. His family is as follows, viz:

6368 VI SNYDER, JOHN ELDON, was born January 20th, 1886.

6369 VI SNYDER, DELLA MAY, was born January 21st, 1888.

6370 VI SNYDER, JOSEPH LEO, was born October 26th, 1890, and died November 1st, 1890.

6371 VI SNYDER, EARL STANLEY, was born August 14th, 1893.

6372 V SNYDER, LOVINA, was born June 9th, 1861, and died May 3rd, 1868.

6373 V SNYDER, LUCINDA, was born November 6th, 1867. She is married to Simeon Brubacher, a farmer. See No. 1427.

6374 V SNIDER, MAGDALENA, was born April 14th, 1871. She is married to Stauffer Shantz, a farmer. They reside in Wilmot Township. See Stauffer Shantz's family.

6375 V SNYDER, JACOB B., was born July 8th, 1875. He is home on the farm.

6376 V SNYDER, JOSEPH LINCOLN, was born June 24th, 1886.

6377 IV SNYDER, ELIZABETH, was born April 18th, 1840. On March 19th, 1865, she was married to Isaac S. Cressman, a farmer, who died August 20th, 1894. See No. 2172 and also Nos. 2178 to 2185.

6378 IV SNYDER, LYDIA, was born October 18th, 1842. On February 22nd, 1870, she was married to Jacob S. Betzner and died November 5th, 1894. See No. 922.

6379 IV SNYDER, SARAH, was born June 1st, 1845. She was married, October 3rd, 1886, to Isaac H. Moyer, a farmer. See Isaac H. Moyer's family.

6380 IV SNYDER, JACOB C., was born August 11th, 1848, and died March 16th, 1852.

6381 IV SNYDER, FRANKLIN C., was born December 8th, 1851. He has his home with his brother,

Joseph. He is lacking in his mental powers and also in his organs of speech.

6382 III SCHNEIDER, ELIZABETH, was born January 2nd, 1802. On July 2nd, 1822, she was married to Jacob S. Shoemaker who was born April 24th, 1798, and died March 20th, 1875. She died November 26th, 1876. See Jacob S. Shoemaker's family.

6383 III SCHNEIDER, VERONICA, was born July 25th, 1803. On April 8th, 1823, she was married to Daniel Martin who was born April 5th, 1800, and died January 12th, 1856. She died July 13th, 1872. See Daniel Martin's family.

6384 III SCHNEIDER, MARY, was born April 1st, 1808. On April 8th, 1833, she was married to Christoph Nahrgang who was born December 25th, 1801, and died June 22nd, 1886. She died March 22nd, 1887. See Christoph Nahrgang's family.

6385 III SCHNEIDER, JOSEPH E., was born at Berlin, Ontario, November 23rd, 1810. On January 28th, 1834, he was married to Sarah, daughter of Isaac and Esther (Bechtel) Shantz. She was born January 21st, 1816, and died October 18th, 1881. Soon after their marriage they moved on his father's old homestead, now in possession of Samuel B. Schneider. When Mr. Schneider was a young man he joined the church of his choice, the Mennonite, of which body he was ordained deacon, a position he held for many years. His old days were much beclouded with troubles in the church, and owing to the different views held by the two parties in regard to the teaching of the Bible a division was made and the one party organized themselves into a distinct body, now known as the Mennonite Brethren in Christ. Mr. Schneider joined himself with the new body. He died happy in the Lord, February 16th, 1880. His family is as follows, viz:

6386 IV SCHNEIDER, ISAAC, was born December 5th, 1834, and died July 13th, 1835.

6387 IV SCHNEIDER, BARBARA, was born February 26th, 1837. She was married, October 31st, 1858, to Abraham Hagey. See No. 3459.

6388 IV SCHNEIDER, DAVID B., was born March 1st. 1840. On July 13th, 1862, he was married to Elizabeth Bricker (No. 1283). She was born April 24th, 1841, and died February 5th, 1866. On November 15th, 1868, he was again married to Sarah Meyer, widow of the late Zimmerman Martin. She was born February 17th, 1843. They reside on a small farm a little to the west of Berlin. Mr. Schneider's family is as follows:

6389 V SNYDER, REV. OLIVER B., was born April 12th, 1863. When a young man he was converted unto the Lord and in 1889 he entered the ministry of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ body and so far has proved himself a diligent laborer in the Lord's vineyard. At present he is stationed on the Wetzell (Mich.) field of labor. Some time ago he was married to Mary Meyer. They have no family.

6390 V SNYDER, SUSANNAH B., was born August 23rd, 1864. In February, 1889, she was married to David Thaler, a farmer. They reside near Centreville where he is engaged in farming. Her family consists of four children, namely: VI Oliver (dead), VI Elmer, VI Albert, and VI Lincoln.

6391 V SNYDER, ELIZABETH B., was born September 2nd, 1865. On October 1st, 1889, see was married to Josiah Meyer, a civil engineer. They reside at Eventon, Illinois. Their family consists of two children, namely: VI Olive Lorene and VI Morris Howard.

6392 V SNYDER, ALBERT M., was born August 3rd, 1869. He is with the J. Y. Shantz & Son Button Co. of Berlin where he is engaged as foreman in one of the departments. On May 14th, 1895, he was married to Catharine Cressman. They reside in Berlin.

6393 V SNYDER, JOSEPH M., was born August 30th, 1877. He is engaged as clerk in the office of The Breithaupt Leather Co. of Berlin.

6394 IV SCHNEIDER, SAMUEL B., was born October 9th, 1842. On September 26th, 1865, he was married to Rebecca Fried who was born February 27th, 1846. Shortly after their marriage they moved to Berlin, on his father's old homestead, where he was engaged in farming for a number of years. Of late years Mr. Schneider has disposed of the greater part of his farm now forming a part of the town, besides the numerous lawns, grounds, and two parks cut off on the west, thus leaving him in possession of but a small part of the once large "Schneider Farm." His family consisted of seven children, viz:

6395 V SCHNEIDER, ANNA MARIA, was born June 23rd, 1866. She is married to John R. Stouffer, a manufacturer. See John R. Stouffer's family.

6396 V SCHNEIDER, JOSEPH, was born February 8th, 1871, and died February 23rd, 1872.

6397 V SCHNEIDER, LOVINA, was born February 13th, 1873. She was married, May 23rd, 1894, to Rev. Cyrus N. Good. They reside in Berlin. See No. 3313.

6398 V SCHNEIDER, LAURETTA, was born September 18th, 1876, and died January 20th, 1877.

6399 V SCHNEIDER, ROLAND F., was born May 10th, 1878. Is home.

6400 V SCHNEIDER, ELSIE, was born November 8th, 1882, and died November 29th, 1882.

6401 V SCHNEIDER, ELMER, was born November 29th, 1883.

6402 IV SNYDER, MARY, was born December 26th, 1844. On March 4th, 1862, she was married to David B. Bricker who was born December 15th, 1839. See No. 1280.

6403 IV SNYDER, LOUISA, was born August 16th, 1847. On November 25th, 1868, she was married to John, son of Joseph and Anna (Hunsicker) Troxel. He was born in Seneca County, Ohio, October 13th, 1846. At present they reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged by J. R. Stouffer, manufacturer of cloth covered buttons. To them are born eight children, viz:

V SARAH, born April 3rd, 1870, died May 25, 1870.

V LIZZIE, born March 7th, 1871.

V ANNIE, born March 27th, 1872.

V IDA, born March 23rd, 1874.

V JOSEPH, born November 16th, 1875, died January 17th, 1876.

V LYDIA, born June 25th, 1877.

V LAURA, born February 11th, 1881, died February 21st, 1882.

V OLIVE, born April 8th, 1889.

6404 IV SNYDER, LYDIA, was born December 23rd, 1849. On September 22nd, 1869, she was married to John, son of Thomas and Alice (Kelley) Ferrier. He was born in Bridgeport, Ontario, August 29th,

1846. At present they reside at Vallejo, California, where he is engaged in the lumber business. To them was born a family of six children, namely: V Alice Minerva, V Joseph, V William, V Magdalena, V Rebecca, and V Frances.

6405 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born December 31st, 1851. On May 12th, 1869, she was married to Nathaniel Bergey who was born May 12th, 1847. She died May 10th, 1880. See No. 893.

6406 IV SNYDER, SARAH, was born July 27th, 1854. On December 31st, 1872, she was married to David Thaler who was born November 16th, 1848. They resided near Centreville, a little east of Berlin, where he was engaged in farming. She died December 9th, 1887, leaving a family of eight children, namely: V Joseph, V David, V Edwin (dead), V Rosa, V Sarah, V Simon, V Annie, and V Wesley (dead).

6407 IV SNYDER, HANNAH, was born January 29th, 1857. On March 8th, 1874, she was married to Aaron E. Shantz who was born April 7th, 1853. See Aaron E. Shantz's family.

6408 III SCHNEIDER, MOSES E., twin brother to Joseph E., was born November 24th, 1810. On April 12th, 1836, he was married to Molly (Magdalena) (No. 1848), daughter of Abraham and Molly (Miller) Clemens. She was born March 3rd, 1820, and died January 29th, 1887. Soon after their marriage they moved about two miles east of Berlin where he was the owner of a beautiful farm. Here they raised eleven children, and some time after her death Mr. Schneider made his home with his son, Esra, who now resides in Berlin. He is enjoying ordinary good health and is still able to walk about and visit his friends. The names of his children are as follows:

6409 IV SNYDER, BARBARA, was born September 11th, 1838. On March 3rd, 1857, she was married to Noah Betzner, a farmer. See Nos. 934 to 942.

6410 IV SCHNEIDER, ESRA, was born September 17th, 1841. On March 10th, 1868, he was married to Lucinda, daughter of Jacob Y. and Barbara (Biehn) Shantz. She was born September 7th, 1848. Soon after their marriage Mr. Schneider quit working at his trade, carpentering, and moved to Breslau where he followed farming until 1892, then he sold out and moved to Berlin where he is now engaged in the button factory. His family consists of four children, viz:

6411 V SNYDER, MELISSA, was born May 2nd, 1869. On March 28th, 1889, she was married to Ephraim Moyer, a farmer. See Ephraim Moyer's family.

6412 V SNYDER, ANNIE, was born November 18th, 1870. On March 29th, 1889, she was married to Jeremiah Shantz, a farmer. They reside near Didsbury, Alberta, N. W. T. To them are born three children, namely: VI Alson, VI Wilfred, and VI Elenora.

6413 V SNYDER, EDWIN, was born September 18th, 1872. He is engaged in the J. Y. Shantz & Son button factory in Buffalo, N. Y., and is unmarried.

6414 V SNYDER, ALVIN, was born April 26th, 1876. He resides with his parents in Berlin.

6415 IV SNYDER, MAGDALENA, was born September 26th, 1844. On June 5th, 1870, she was married to John Snider, a farmer. See John Snider's family.

6416 IV SNYDER, LEVI C., was born July 11th, 1847. On May 29th, 1870, he was married to Mary Betzner (No. 951) and after her decease to Magdalena Histand (No. 3744). At present he resides on a large

farm near Breslau where he is engaged in farming. His family consisted of nine children, of whom the three eldest were born unto his first wife. Their names are as follows: V Norman, V Urias (dead), V Mary (dead), V Abraham, V Amsey, V Leander, V Ervine, V Lily Ann, and V Clayton.

6417 IV SNYDER, ISAAC C., was born March 12th, 1850. On September 5th, 1875, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Samuel Y. and Esther (Erb) Shantz. She was born April 27th, 1855. They reside a little south of Berlin where he is engaged in farming and working with the carpenters. To them was born a family of eight children, namely: V Ibra, V Urba (dead), V Clara (dead), V Maggie, V Samuel, V Moses, V Elsie, and V Isaac.

6418 IV SNYDER, MARY ANN, was born September 12th, 1852. She is unmarried and resides in the town of Berlin where she is having her home with her brother, Esra.

6419 IV SNYDER, EPHRAIM C., was born August 19th, 1855. After leaving school he worked with the carpenters and builders for several years but after he was married he worked his father's farm for some time. On November 8th, 1887, he moved to Berlin where he was engaged in the grocery business until 1890 when he entered the printing business and is now foreman of The Berlin Publishing Company, Limited, Berlin, Ontario. Mr. Snyder is a gentleman of energy and perseverance and has a thorough knowledge of the business in which he is engaged and at present has seven skilled hands working under him. He is courteous and gentlemanly in bearing, and highly esteemed by all in the community. On March 16th, 1880, he was married to Maggie, daughter of Isaac R. and Catharine (Gehman) Culp. She was born near Jordan, Lincoln County, Ontario, June 20th, 1857. To them were born two children, namely: V Alda and V Ada.

6420 IV SNYDER, NOAH C., was born February 24th, 1858. He is unmarried and resides with Mr. Noah Betzner.

6421 IV SNYDER, MOSES C., was born November 2nd, 1860. He was raised on the farm. When well up in his "teens" he went to Berlin and served his time with Messrs Brown & Erb in learning the glove making business. He is now a practical cutter of gloves and mitts and was engaged with the named firm until lately when they moved to Toronto where he now is engaged in working at his trade. On June 10th, 1886, he was married to Martha Jane, daughter of Amos and Sarah (Nicholson) Rolling. She was born in Whitchurch Township, York County, Ontario, June 12th, 1863. To them were born two children, namely: V Sarah and V Wilber.

6422 IV SNYDER, HANNAH C., was born October 2nd, 1862. She is unmarried and has her home with her brother, Levi.

6423 IV SNYDER, LUCENA, was born January 16th, 1865. She is unmarried and has her home with her brother, Esra.

6424 II SCHNEIDER, HENRY, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 7th, 1773, and died an infant, aged several months.

6425 II SCHNEIDER, ANNA, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, September 3rd, 1775. She was married to Peter Ruth who was born March 13th, 1767, and died July 16th, 1835. They resided near Elizabethtown, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where their family of eight children settled. She died January 24th, 1855.

6426 II SCHNEIDER, CATHARINE, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 17th, 1777.

She was married to Christian Hernley who was born February 13th, 1771, and died August 8th, 1848. They had a family of eight children all of whom settled at Richland, Ohio. She died December 8th, 1855.

6427 II SCHNEIDER, HENRY, the youngest child of old Jacob and Mary (Hershey) Schneider, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 25th, 1778. He was married to Mary Witmer who was born August 23rd, 1783, and died January 27th, 1863. His family consisted of ten children all of whom resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He died June 4th, 1864.

SCHRODER.

The family by this name are all descendants of John Schroder, a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was born in 1802. About the year 1836 he emigrated to Canada and settled in Berlin, Ontario, where he was widely known by all parties. He was married to Mary, daughter of John and Polly (Heckedon) Haus. She was born a few miles west of Waterloo in 1818 and died in Berlin, at their old home on Queen Street East, November 14th, 1888. He died May 10th, 1887. To them was born a family of eight children. Their names are as follows:

6428 II SCHRODER, SUSANNAH, is married to Henry Bachman. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged as mail collector. Their family consists of four children, namely: III Solomon, III Leopold, III Anna, and III Adline.

6429 II SCHRODER, LEVI, was married to Mary Reichert and resided in Elmira where he died in 1889, leaving a family of four children, namely: III Anderson, III Annie, III Maggie, and III Ervine.

6430 II SCHRODER, ADLINE, was married to George Dopp. They resided in Berlin where he died May 21st, 1879, leaving the following family, namely: III Samuel, III Lizzie, III Mary Ann, III Louisa, III Franklin, III Matilda, III Amelia, III John and III George (dead).

6431 II SCHRODER, VERONICA, is married to Joseph Reichert. They reside in Peabody, Kansas, and have a large family but names of children were not received.

6432 II SCHRODER, ADAM, is married to Anna Klein and resides in Dakota where he is engaged in the meat business. They have a family.

6433 II SCHRODER, MARY, is married to George Menger. They reside in Fergus, Ontario, where he is proprietor of a hotel. Their family is as follows, namely: III William, III Charles, III George, III Franklin, III Maria, III Alfred, III Elma, and III Arnetta.

6434 II SCHRODER, AMOS, a shoemaker by trade, was married to Hannah Kostof. They resided in Berlin where he died in 1894. To them were born three children, namely: III Archibald, III Ivanhoe, and III Edward.

6435 II SCHRODER, SIMEON, a carpenter by trade, is married to Regina Kostof. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in one of the factories. To them are born three children, namely: III Bella, III Laura, and III Milton.

SCHUH.

(Now spelled Shuh.)

6436 I SCHUH, JACOB, one of the original settlers of York County, Pennsylvania, came from Holland with his wife and family in the year 1720. After spending several months in Germantown he went to Lancaster County where he resided for several years, thence moved to York County, near York, the county town. Here he settled in 1729. To whom he was married and what number of children he had could not be ascertained. The names of some of the children were II Joseph, II Philip, II Henry, and II Anna. No trace of the last three named nor of their descendants can be given.

6437 II SCHUH, JOSEPH, was born in 1717. He retained the old homestead of his father, Jacob Schuh, and had a family of several children. He died in 1795. One of his sons was named III Jacob.

6438 III SCHUH, JACOB, was born in 1755 and resided on the old "Schuh Farm" in York County, Pennsylvania. It is not known to whom he was married, neither what number of children he had. We know the names of two sons, IV Henry and IV Jacob, and one daughter was married to John Keller. Of Jacob nothing is known.

6439 IV SCHUH, HENRY, eldest son of Jacob Schuh, was born March 22nd, 1785. On October 13th, 1807, he was married to Mary Kaufman who was born August 17th, 1788, and died July 27th, 1854. In spring, 1824, he, with wife and family of seven children, moved from York County, Pennsylvania, to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. They first located on the "Eschelman Farm" east of Berlin, now possessed by Henry S. Boehmer. Here they resided one year, then, in 1825, he purchased a farm two miles east of Berlin, now pos-

sessed by Cyrus Cressman, to which place he then moved. Their family consisted of ten children, of whom the three youngest were born in this county. He was an ordained minister of the Mennonite body whom he served faithfully unto his end. He died in Hay Township, Huron County, while engaged in fulfilling his ministerial appointments. While taking refreshments at the home of one of his friends he had a stroke of paralysis causing instant death. His death took place January 8th, 1837.

6440 V SHUH, ANNA, the eldest of named family, was born in York County, Pennsylvania, December 31st, 1808. On June 8th, 1830, she was married to George D. Shoemaker, a farmer. She has had a family of ten children, of whom six are still living. Her death took place August 20th, 1895. See George D. Shoemaker's family.

6441 V SHUH, CATHARINE, was born March 29th, 1811. On June 11th, 1835, lightning struck her father's house, instantly killing her. She was not married.

6442 V SHUH, MARY, was born July 19th, 1813, and died May 4th, 1832.

6443 V SHUH, BENJAMIN, was born November 15th, 1815. In 1824 he came to Canada with his parents and worked for old Abraham Kolb for one year, then he went to Tobias Kolb's. After being at the latter place for some time he went to Preston where he engaged himself to Joseph Erb, proprietor of the Cambridge Mills. Here he remained eight years in all. He was one year with Samuel Bowman of Blair. On December 4th, 1849, he was married to Leah, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Wagner) Bergey. She was born January 24th, 1824, and when a mere infant she was adopted by old David Shantz who resided on the east end of lot No. 1, German Company's Tract, Waterloo County, where she was raised and still resides with her son,

David. Here Mr. Shuh died January 21st, 1892. Their family consisted of three children, viz:

6444 VI SHUH, DAVID, was born March 11th, 1851. On January 8th, 1878, he was married to Barbara, daughter of Rev. Moses and Anna (Cressman) Bowman. She was born March 1st, 1857. On March 18th, 1878, they moved to the township of Wallace where they followed farming until February 14th, 1889, when they moved home on his father's farm, known as the old "David Shantz" or "Shuh" farm. Here they are still residing. Their family consists of six children, viz:

6445 VII SHUH, LOVINA, was born in Wallace Township, January 26th, 1879.

6446 VII SHUH, BENJAMIN, was born in Wallace Township, March 14th, 1880.

6447 VII SHUH, SUSANNAH, was born in Wallace Township, March 14th, 1882.

6448 VII SHUH, ANNA, was born June 25th, 1884, and died July 10th, 1886.

6449 VII SHUH, MILTON, was born in Wallace Township, July 14th, 1886.

6450 VII SHUH, MELVIN, was born in Berlin, September 29th, 1889.

6451 VI SHUH, JOSEPH, second son of Benjamin Shuh, was born September 16th, 1852. He is not married. At present he has his home with his brother, David, whom he assists on the farm.

6452 VI SHUH, HANNAH, the only daughter of Benjamin Shuh, was born April 4th, 1859. She is home with her mother where she spends her time in the service of her Master and in caring for and attending to her aged mother for which she deserves all praise and credit.

6453 V SHUH, LYDIA, was born November 30th, 1817. She died September 8th, 1873, at George D. Shoemaker's where she had her home for many years. She was never married.

6454 V SHUH, HENRY, was born June 8th, 1820. He died on Sunday, November 4th, 1832. His body was found in the swamp and by all appearances seemed to have been murdered by some one.

6455 V SHUH, SARAH, was born June 9th, 1823. In October, 1871, she was married to Jacob Y. Shantz. They resided in Berlin where she died April 8th, 1893.

6456 V SHUH, MAGDALENA, was born November 29th, 1825, and died July 10th, 1893. On April 13th, 1851, she was married to Rev. Isaac Weber who was born September 19th, 1829, and died February 5th, 1892. See Rev. Isaac Weber's family.

6457 V SHUH, JOHN, was born October 30th, 1828. After the decease of his father, he, together with his mother and his sister, Lydia, made their home with George D. Shoemaker, where he was raised. In 1846 he went to Jacob S. Shoemaker, Bridgeport, where he was engaged in the large mills. Here he remained until 1851, then he went to Berlin and commenced clerking for Mr. Henry Huber who then did business in a small roughcast store situated where now is the American Hotel. A few months later he engaged himself to Hoffman & Co., in whose services he remained until 1856 when he came to the town of Waterloo and entered into partnership with J. Hoffman and Isaac Weaver, under the firm of John Shuh & Co. Here he remained in active service as a general merchant until 1889 when he sold out to the firm of Shuh† & Snider. Since then he has lived a more retired life. He is president of the Waterloo Woollen Mills and also one of the directors of the Waterloo Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was married to Susannah, daughter of

† Mr. Shuh of this firm was Mr. Levi Shuh, youngest son of John Shuh.

David and Catharine (Eby) Weber. She was born April 19th, 1836, and died August 7th, 1863. After her decease he was again married to Magdalena, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Landis) Hoffman. She was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 16th, 1840, and came to Canada in 1862. Mr. Shuh's family consists of three children, two of whom were born unto his first wife. Names are as follows:

6458 VI SHUH, FRANKLIN, was born in the town of Waterloo, June 26th, 1858. On January 10th, 1882, he was married to Catharine, daughter of Moses Shantz. She was born June 8th, 1863. Soon after his marriage he moved two miles north of the town of Waterloo, on the farm known as "Conrad Schmitt's Place" where he still resides. His family consists of four children, namely: VII Clayton, VII Mabel, VII Clarence, and VII Norman.

6459 VI SHUH, LEVI, the second son, was born in the town of Waterloo, December 29th, 1861. He is married to Lovina, daughter of John Schwartz, and resides in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged in the office of the Waterloo Mutual Fire Insurance Company. His family consists of one child named VII Cecil.

6460 VI SHUH, MARY H., was born March 7th, 1865. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

6461 V SHUH, JACOB, the youngest in his father's family, was born January 29th, 1831. He was a cabinet maker by trade. In 1852 he was married to Nancy Master. They resided in Berlin where he died March 23rd, 1875, leaving a widow and a family of six children, viz:

6462 VI SHUH, ADLINE, was born January 17th, 1853. She is married to William Henry Barrett, a glove

manufacturer. They reside in Berlin and have had a family of one child named VII Andrew Scott, died September 6th, 1890.

6463 VI SHUH, MARY ANN, was born May 9th, 1854. She was married to Harry Messett and resides in Berlin and has a family of ten children, namely: VII Mildred, died August 1st, 1886, VII Jennie, VII Henry, VII Florence, VII Adelaide, VII Alice Maude, VII Edmund Clemens, VII Charley Roy, VII Marion, and VII Ralph.

6464 VI SHUH, ALLAN, was born November 13th, 1855. He was married to Martha Grendon and resided in Berlin where he was engaged as a marble cutter. He died April 8th, 1892, leaving a family of two children, namely: VII Jay Laren and VII Fanny who died May 10th, 1893.

6465 VI SHUH, MILTON, was born April 2nd, 1858, and died August 2nd, 1877.

6466 VI SHUH, HENRY, was born October 22nd, 1860, and died December 4th, 1881.

6467 VI SHUH, ALICE FLOS, was born September 26th, 1872, and died July 27th, 1876.

SCHWARTZ.

Among the early settlers of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, we find the name of Schwartz. The progenitor of this family was I Abraham Schwartz, a native of the Palatinate, Germany. He came to America probably as early as 1740 and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. We find that he was a bishop† of the Mennonite body and when advanced in years the good old man lost his eyesight and became perfectly blind, but he still continued to fulfil his ministerial duties.‡ He would have some one to read a portion of scripture from which he would select his text for the occasion. His faithfulness in the fulfilment of his ministerial duties under such difficulties is indeed commendable. No one could give the writer any information in regard to the family of Bishop Schwartz. All that could be ascertained was that one of his grandchildren,* named Christian, moved to Canada, who proves to be the progenitor of the family of that name.

6468 III SCHWARTZ, CHRISTIAN, was born in Tonamencin Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, August 20th, 1784. He was married to Sophia Ruth who was born August 23rd, 1787, and died February 23rd, 1880. During the early part of the present century they moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near Preston, where they both died. He died May 12th, 1848. To them was born a family of eight children, viz:

6469 IV SCHWARTZ, JESSE, the eldest in family, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, July 12th, 1807. He was married to Magdalena, daughter of John and Nancy (Erb) Bricker. She

† The probability is that he was an ordained bishop ere he emigrated to America.
‡ From "History of the Mennonites," by D. K. Cassell.
* Tradition has it that his father was also named Christian.

was born February 21st, 1812, and died in Breslau, March 20th, 1867. He died January 14th, 1886. Their family consisted of four children, viz:

6470 V SCHWARTZ, LYDIA, the eldest in the family, was born June 12th, 1833. She was married to Henry Clemens, a farmer. They reside in Bosanquet Township, Lambton County, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Isaac C., VI Simon, VI Jesse C., VI John, VI Maggie, VI Minnie, VI Lucinda, and VI Malinda. See No. 1665 to 1673.

6471 V SCHWARTZ, SARAH, was born January 18th, 1835. She is married to Cyrus Erb, a retired farmer. They reside in Preston, Ontario. Their family consists of four children, namely: VI Mary Ann, VI John Henry, VI Cyrus W., and VI Milton. See Cyrus Erb's family.

6472 V SCHWARTZ, JOHN, was born January 9th, 1838, and died December 28th, 1855.

6473 V SCHWARTZ, NANCY, was born April 17th, 1840. She is married to Joseph K. Erb, a retired farmer. They reside in Preston, Ontario, and have a family of two children, namely: VI Lena and VI Lydia. See Joseph K. Erb's family.

6474 IV SCHWARTZ, DAVID, was born May 15th, 1809, and died December 20th, 1834. He was married to Susannah Bergey who was again married to John Bricker. See Nos. 890 and 1260. To Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz was born one child, viz:

6475 V SCHWARTZ, SOPHIA, was born July 12th, 1834. She was married to Enoch D. Snyder. They resided in Middlesex County, Ontario, where she died April 21st, 1877, leaving a family as follows,

namely: VI Lovina, VI Angeline, VI Susannah, VI Isaiah, VI Emanuel, VI Ezra, VI Clara, and VI Lydia Ann. See Enoch D. Snyder's family.

6476 IV SCHWARTZ, LEAH, was born November 15th, 1811. She was married to Deacon Jacob Hagey who was born January 13th, 1808, and died April 9th, 1893. They resided at Preston, Ontario, where she died May 28th, 1882. To them were born eight children, namely: V John, V Ezra (dead), V Abram, V David, V Rebecca, V Sallie, V Jacob, and V Levi. See Deacon Jacob Hagey's family.

6477 IV SCHWARTZ, HENRY, was born May 8th, 1816. On December 14th, 1842, he was married to Elizabeth Saltzberry. She was born March 11th, 1823. They resided in Waterloo Township where he was engaged in farming. He died near Strasburg, Ontario, May 27th, 1887. His widow resides in Strasburg, Ontario. Their family consisted of three children, viz:

6478 V SCHWARTZ, JACOB S., was born November 23rd, 1843. He was first married to Catharine Israel who was born June 9th, 1846, and died June 23rd, 1888. On July 23rd, 1889, he was again married to Henrietta Seibert. She was born July 7th, 1864. Mr. Schwartz's family consists of ten children, viz:

6479 VI SCHWARTZ, ANGELINE, was born October 18th, 1865. She is married to John Fleischmann, a carpenter. They reside in Hespeler, Ontario.

6480 VI SCHWARTZ, AMOS, was born July 19th, 1867. He is married to Rose Thornton. They reside in Hamilton, Ontario, where he is engaged as a spinner in one of the woollen mills.

6481 VI SCHWARTZ, HENRY, was born April 21st, 1870. He is married to Lillie McQuain. They reside in Galt where he is engaged as a moulder in one of the large foundries.

6482 VI SCHWARTZ, SIMON, was born January 6th, 1872. He is a moulder and is engaged in one of the Preston foundries.

6483 VI SCHWARTZ, ISRAEL, was born February 13th, 1874. He is a clerk in some dry goods store.

6484 VI SCHWARTZ, RACHEL, was born October 6th, 1876. She is engaged in one of the mills at Doon.

6485 VI SCHWARTZ, MARY ANN, was born July 17th, 1878.

6486 VI SCHWARTZ, MALINDA MAY, was born June 4th, 1881.

6487 VI SCHWARTZ, HERBERT CHARLES, was July 7th, 1884.

6488 VI SCHWARTZ, SILKE SIDILLA, was born February 23rd, 1894.

6489 V SCHWARTZ, MARY, was born April 4th, 1845, and died August 18th, 1866. She was not married.

6490 V SCHWARTZ, JOHN, was born May 13th, 1853. He is married to Magdalena Israel. They reside at New Dundee, Ontario, and have three children, namely: VI Byron, VI Ervine, and VI Carrie.

6491 IV SCHWARTZ, ELIZABETH, twin sister to Henry, was born May 8th, 1816. She was married to Gerard Wheeler who was born in 1811 and died January 30th, 1890. They resided north of Hespeler,

near Guelph Road, where she died September 6th, 1849. To them were born five children, namely: V Jacob, V Nancy, V Elizabeth, V Leah, and V Rachel.

6492 IV SCHWARTZ, JACOB, was born January 1st, 1819. In 1841 he was married to Maria, daughter of Abraham and Catharine (Bergey) Honsberger. She was born June 13th, 1821. Soon after their marriage they moved on a farm about a mile west of the Manheim school house. The farm is now possessed by Mr. Jacob S. Hallman, reeve of Wilmot. Here Mr. Schwartz died April 22nd, 1861. The widow is still living and has her home with her daughter, Mary, who resides in Berlin. To Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz were born ten children, viz:

6493 V SCHWARTZ, LEAH, was born October 3rd, 1841. She is married to Charles Miller, a farmer. They reside near Hanover, Bruce County, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Salome, VI Lizzie, VI John, VI William, VI Charles, VI Simon, VI Amelia, VI David, VI Louisa, VI Catharine, VI Mary, VI Jacob, VI Amos, and VI Fannie.

6494 V SCHWARTZ, AMOS, was born April 8th, 1843. He is married to Veronica Huether and resides in Virginia, U. S., where he is engaged in farming. To them are born eleven children, namely: VI Sybilla, VI Melinda, VI Susannah, VI Maud, VI Wellesley, VI Simon, VI Selda, VI Salome, VI Fannie, VI Clarina, and VI Mabel.

6495 V SCHWARTZ, ISAAC, was born April 8th, 1845. He is married to Salome Israel. They reside in Michigan where he is engaged in farming. To them are born nine children, namely: VI Mary, VI Margaret, VI Eva, VI Isaac, VI William, VI Allen, VI Lydia, VI Amanda, and VI Salome.

6496 V SCHWARTZ, CATHARINE, was born November 2nd, 1847. She is married to William Liebler, a

farmer. They reside near Brown City, Michigan. To them are born ten children, namely: VI Alvin, VI Clara, VI Cora, VI Ervin, VI Clayton, VI Aaron, VI Edward, VI Simon, VI Mary Ann, and VI Norman.

6497 V SCHWARTZ, MENNO, was born February 8th, 1849, and died February 22nd, 1849.

6498 V SCHWARTZ, JACOB, was born February 9th, 1850. He is married to Catharine Temple and resides in Waterloo County where he is engaged in farming. To them are born the following children, namely: VI Isaac, VI William, VI Levi, VI Daniel, VI Jacob, and VI Melvin.

6499 V SCHWARTZ, ABRAM, was born March 12th, 1852. He is married to Susannah Bergey. They reside on the old "Betzner Farm" near Doon. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Isaiah (dead), VI Jemima, VI Priscilla, VI Minerva, VI Lydia Ann (dead), VI Hannah (dead), VI Susannah, VI Wellington, and VI Oliver (dead).

6500 V SCHWARTZ, DAVID, was born May 24th, 1854, and died October 27th, 1854.

6501 V SCHWARTZ, SIMON, was born August 5th, 1855. He is married to Mary E. Wingham. They reside at Williamsburg, Waterloo County, Ontario, where he is engaged in teaching the Williamsburg public school. His family consists of six children, namely: VI Cora, VI Bertha, VI Miles, VI Clayton, VI Mary, and VI Simon.

6502 V SCHWARTZ, MARY, was born November 11th, 1859. She is married to Aaron K. Devitt. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged as cutter in the Williams, Greene & Rome shirt

factory. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI Roscoe, VI Orton, VI Arvilla, VI Adela, VI Lola, and VI Armintha.

6503 IV SCHWARTZ, CATHARINE, was born February 5th, 1823. On March 2nd, 1841, she was married to Jacob Huber who was born November 15th, 1817, and died in Berlin where his widow still resides, December 8th, 1890. To them was born a family of thirteen children, namely: VI Benjamin, VI Fannie, VI Sophia, VI Ephraim, VI Sarah Ann, VI Mariah, VI David, VI Louisa, VI Malinda, VI Leah, VI Henry, VI Lydia Ann, and VI Jacob S. See Jacob Huber's family.

6504 IV SCHWARTZ, SALLIE, was born February 8th, 1826. She was married to Henry Hagey who was born March 2nd, 1823, and died in Preston April 15th, 1891. She died August 1st, 1887. To them was born a family of seven children, namely: V Isaac, V Jonas, V Lydia, V Sarah, V Sophia, V Elizabeth, and V Amelia. See Henry Hagey's family.

SEIBERT.

6505 I SEIBERT, JACOB, whose parents were natives of Switzerland, was born in Bavaria, Germany, about the year 1798. In 1822 he was married to Elizabeth Stein who was born probably in 1800.† In the year 1827 they, with their family of one child, emigrated to America and settled in Welland County, Ontario, nearly opposite the city of Buffalo, New York, where they resided for a little more than a year. From here they moved to Waterloo County and settled temporarily a little east of Berlin.* From here they moved to Wilmot Township and settled on lot No 4,‡ Upper Road, where they resided until their family had arrived at maturity. When old the parents made their home with their son, John, who resides at Petoskey, Michigan, where she died in August, 1870, and he died in 1876. To them was born a family of six children, viz:

6506 II SEIBERT, JACOB S., was born in Bavaria, Germany, July 4th, 1823. On October 28th, 1845, he was married to Magdalena Erb who was born October 8th, 1823, and died January 2nd, 1849. After her decease Mr. Seibert was married to Elizabeth Erb, sister to his first wife. She was born February 7th, 1825. They reside in Bridgeport where he followed his trade§ for many years but now they live retired. His family consists of nine children, viz:

6507 III SEIBERT, LEVI, was born August 2nd, 1846. He is married to Magdalena Wüst and resides in Berlin where he is engaged as an undertaker by The Simpson Company. His family consists of

† She was two years his junior in age.

* In the old log house that stood at the side of the road on Mr. Jno. Brubacher's farm, along the marsh where now Peter M. Weber resides.

‡ Farm now possessed by C. Dietrich.

§ Cabinet maker and builder.

three children, namely: IV Willliam, IV Joseph, and IV Elma.

6508 III SEIBERT, JEREMIAH, was born October 3rd, 1847, and died July 27th, 1848.

6509 III SEIBERT, WILLIAM, was born October 8th, 1848, and died July 28th, 1854.

6510 III SEIBERT, ELIZABETH, was born August 19th, 1850, and died September 9th, 1866.

6511 III SEIBERT, AARON E., was born December 8th, 1851. He is married to Mary Bleam and resides in Bridgeport where he is engaged in farming at times and in travelling during the summer and fall season. Their family is as follows: IV Albrey, IV Milton, IV Amba, IV Olive (dead), and IV Elmer.

6512 III SEIBERT, NELSON, was born May 16th, 1853, and died August 12th, 1854.

6513 III SEIBERT, MATILDA, was born September 13th, 1855, and died May 23rd, 1856.

6514 III SEIBERT, FRANKLIN E., was born May 29th, 1857. He is a cabinet maker by trade and is engaged with The Simpson Company of Berlin, where he resides. He is married to Sarah Bedford and has a family of nine children, namely: IV Alice, IV Oliver, IV Mabel, IV Lucy, IV Albert, IV Eddison, IV Franklin, IV Nelson, and IV Herbert.

6515 III SEIBERT, JACOB E., was born January 4th, 1859. He was married to Jennie Pernettu and resided in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where she died in 1893, leaving one son named IV Russell. At present Mr. Seibert resides with his parents at Bridgeport, Ontario, where he is following his trade, namely, cabinet making and building.

6516 II SEIBERT, ADAM S., was born May 7th, 1828. He was married to Lydia E. Eby. They resided in Port Elgin, Ontario, where he died May 14th, 1886, leaving a widow and a family as follows, namely: III Elizabeth (dead), III David, III Magdalena, III Jeremiah, III Benjamin (dead), III Louisa, III Daniel, and III Lydia.

6517 II SEIBERT, JOHN S., is married to Veronica Scheirich. They reside in Petoskey, Michigan, where he is engaged in contracting and building. To them was born a family of nine children, namely: III Albert, III Peter, III William, III Maggie, III Tina, III David, III Samuel, III Addison, and a daughter whose name was not received.

6518 II SEIBERT, HENRY S., was born July 17th, 1834. He is married to Albertina Stein who was born December 15th, 1840. They reside in Bridgeport, Ontario, where he is engaged as a mason and bricklayer. To them was born the following family, viz:

6519 III SEIBERT, NELSON, was born September 21st, 1860, and died August 3rd, 1861.

6520 III SEIBERT, FANNIE, was born May 13th, 1862. She is engaged in dressmaking.

6521 III SEIBERT, HENRIETTA, was born July 7th, 1864. She is married to Jacob Schwartz. They reside in Strasburg, Ontario, and have a family of one child named IV Silke Sidilla.

6522 III SEIBERT, MARY JANE, was born October 25th, 1866.

6523 III SEIBERT, DANIEL, was born November 29th, 1868. He is a mason.

6524 III SEIBERT, JULIUS, was born January 9th, 1871, and died November 8th, 1877.

6525 III SEIBERT, ALBERTINA, was born June 17th, 1874. She is married to John C. W. Reist. They reside in Bloomingdale, Ontario, where he is engaged in the factory. They have a family but names were not received.

6526 III SEIBERT, ELLEN, was born February 27th, 1877. She resides in the village of Doon.

6527 III SEIBERT, AMELIA, was born April 30th, 1879, and died September 29th, 1882.

6528 III SEIBERT, CHARLES HENRY, was born March 20th, 1882.

6529 III SEIBERT, ALLAN, was born September 14th, 1886.

6530 II SEIBERT, VERONICA S., was born January 18th, 1836. On December 7th, 1852, she was married to Adam Huff, a tailor. They reside in Bridgeport, Ontario, where they have had a family of nine children, namely: III Lydia, III Henry N., III Maggie, III Elizabeth, III Mary Jane, III Adam, III Matilda, III Emma, and III Alfred.

6531 II SEIBERT, DAVID, the youngest in the family, is married to Jane Gerrie. They reside in Petoskey, Michigan, where he is engaged as a builder and contractor. His family consists of five children, namely: III William, III Jennie, III Walter, III Maggie, and III Edward.

SHANTZ.

Formerly spelled Tschantzen, then Schantzen, now Schantz, Shantz, Shants, and Shons.

6532 I SHANTZ, JACOB, was born in Switzerland about the year 1710. Owing to religious persecutions, he, with others, left their native home and went to Holland where they had the promise of protection from the persecuting parties by the Prince of Orange. Here he lived some fifteen years. Seeing so many of his co-religionists emigrating to America, besides being informed of the proclamation issued by William Penn, he at last decided to emigrate to America and settle among his co-religionists. He crossed the ocean in a vessel named "Townshead" and landed safely at Philadelphia in the summer of 1737. He may have resided in Germantown for some time. In the year 1745 we find him and his family located in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. What number of children he had could not be ascertained. We know that he was married twice. The children of his first wife were II Isaac, II Esther, and II Susannah, and from his second wife we have the record of only one son named II Christian. Old Jacob Shantz died in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, February 5th, 1781, aged a few months less than 71 years. He was buried in the Sprogell Cemetery, beside Magdalena, his first wife.

6533 II SHANTZ, ESTHER, was married to Abraham Berge. Their descendants are still to be found in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. She was the grandmother of Jonas Bingeman of Berlin.

6534 II SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was married to Abraham Wenger. Their descendants are in Montgomery and Chester Counties, Pennsylvania.

6535 II SHANTZ, ISAAC, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, January 14th, 1748. On May 4th, 1774, he was married to Barbara Reiff who was born September 12th,

1753. He died on his farm situated on the Schuylkill River, within the corporation of Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, October 11th, 1802. They had a family of nine children, eight of whom they raised. Their names are as follows: III Mary, III Abraham, III Christian, III Jacob, III Isaac, III David, III Veronica, III Samuel, and III Joseph. In 1808, she, with her two sons, David and Isaac, and her daughter, Veronica, moved to Canada and settled on the farm now possessed by Abraham H. Wambold, about one and one-half miles south of Berlin, and part of this farm is now possessed by Enos Shantz, one of her great-grandchildren. Here she resided until her death which took place September 25th, 1820. †She was of an amiable disposition, rather small in statue but robust and of a quick turn. At 60 years of age she would mount her pony like a young man. She is buried in the Christian Eby Burial Ground, Berlin, Ontario. We shall now give the descendants of Isaac Shantz.

6536 **III SHANTZ, MARY, was born near Pottstown,** Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, March 13th, 1775. On May 2nd, 1797, she was married to John Shoemaker. They resided on the Swamp Creek, in Frederick Township, at what is known as "Shoemaker's Mills." Here they had a family of nine children, of whom two died young. For particulars see John Shoemaker's family. She came to Canada in 1829 with her three youngest children, and during the eve of her life she had her home with her daughter, Magdalena, where she died April 6th, 1866.

6537 **III SHANTZ, ABRAHAM, the eldest son of Isaac** Shantz, was born December 15th, 1776. He was married to Allie Hunsberger who was born January 20th, 1775, and died August 27th, 1821. They resided, after they came to Canada, on the farm now possessed by Isadore B. Snyder, a little east of Berlin. Not finding the country to his expectations and the winter too severe for himself, he left Canada and moved to Harmony, Butler County, Pennsylvania, not far from Pittsburg,

† Contributed by her son, Joseph.

where he died December 28th, 1856. He had a family of ten children, viz:

6538 IV SHANTZ, MOSES H., eldest son of Abraham Shantz, was born September 14th, 1804, and died September 18th, 1884. He was married three times, first to Nancy Stauffer, after her decease to Catharine Weisz, and after the decease of his second wife to Elizabeth Erb. There were three children of first marriage but they all died in infancy. Names are not given. With second wife there were seven children and with third wife thirteen. Names are as follows:

6539 V SHANTZ, JOHN W., eldest son of second wife, was born January 12th, 1839, and was married to Polly Moyer. He died October 21st, 1881.

6540 V SHANTZ, JACOB W., the second son, was born July 23rd, 1840. He was married to Maggie Allan, September 4th, 1868.

6541 V SHANTZ, DAVID W., the third son, was born February 3rd, 1842. He was married to Fannie Shelly, July 4th, 1861.

6542 V SHANTZ, JONAS W., the fourth son, was born November 13th, 1843. He was married to Phietta B. Schweitzer.

6543 V SHANTZ, SARAH B., the eldest daughter of second wife, was born October 19th, 1845. She was first married to Alexander McKie October 29th, 1867. After his death she was married to Evert Farmer, March 20th, 1876.

6544 V SHANTZ, MARY W., the second daughter, was born September 20th, 1847. On November 4th, 1867, she was married to John Randall.

6545 V SHANTZ, JOSEPH W., the youngest son of

second wife, was born December 26th, 1849. On September 3rd, 1874, he was married to Emma Nold.

6546 V SHANTZ, ELIZA E., the eldest daughter of third wife, was born February 25th, 1858. On June 15th, 1876, she was married to Jacob Weigel.

6547 V SHANTZ, BARBARA E., the second daughter, was born March 28th, 1859. On April 23rd, 1878, she was married to Andrew J. Powell.

6548 V SHANTZ, ELLEN E., was born September 2nd, 1860. On October 17th, 1880, she was married to Shields W. Patterson.

6549 V SHANTZ, ELMOR E., was born March 22nd, 1862. On February 7th, 1881, he was married to Caroline Matilda Schaeffer.

6550 V SHANTZ, LEAH E., was born July 6th, 1863, and died October 30th, 1863.

6551 V SHANTZ, CATHERINE A., was born September 8th, 1864. On February 18th, 1883, she was married to John Langbein.

6552 V SHANTZ, MATILDA, born May 26th, 1866.

6553 V SHANTZ, HENRY F., born August 14th, 1867.

6554 V SHANTZ, MAGGIE E., born April 9th, 1869.

6555 V SHANTZ, AMANDA E., born December 8th, 1871, died August 8th, 1872.

6556 V SHANTZ, MOSES ALBERT, born September 3rd, 1872, died June 3rd, 1874.

6557 V SHANTZ, CHARLES LEVI, was born June 22nd, 1875.

6558 V SHANTZ, ANNIE, born September 1st, 1875, died June 16th, 1876.

6559 IV SHANTZ, AARON, the second eldest of old Abraham Shantz's family, was born February 20th, 1806, and died August 16th, 1875. He was married to Elizabeth Zieger, March 14th, 1831. They had a family of fifteen children.

6560 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE Z., was born February 15th, 1832. She is married to S. P. P. Young, June 23rd, 1850.

6561 V SHANTZ, ABRAHAM Z., was born May 27th, 1833. On June 7th, 1854, he was married to Christiana Heckert.

6562 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH Z., was born May 3rd, 1835, and died January 17th, 1837.

6563 V SHANTZ, DAVID Z., was born April 21st, 1837, and died September 4th, 1839.

6564 V SHANTZ, BARBARA Z., was born April 2nd, 1839, and died September 4th, 1839.

6565 V SHANTZ, NANCY Z., was born June 22nd, 1840. She was married to John Hoerr.

6566 V SHANTZ, ISAAC Z., was born June 26th, 1842, and died April 26th, 1845.

6567 V SHANTZ, AMOS Z., was born October 28th, 1844, and died February 28th, 1845.

6568 V SHANTZ, SAMUEL Z., was born January 11th, 1846, and died April 26th, 1846.

6569 V SHANTZ, JOSEPH Z., was born January 11th, 1847, and died November 11th, 1847.

6570 V SHANTZ, MARIA Z., was born October 13th, 1848, and died July 22nd, 1849.

6571 V SHANTZ, AARON Z., was born October 15th, 1849. He was married to Catharine W. Anderson, December 1st, 1870.

6572 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH Z., was born February 26th, 1851, and died August 6th, 1851.

6573 V SHANTZ, ELLEN Z., was born March 7th, 1852, and died same day.

6574 V SHANTZ, SIDNEY Z., was born October 29th, 1853.

6575 IV SHANTZ, CATHARINE, eldest daughter of Abraham Shantz, was born April 8th, 1807, and died in infancy.

6576 IV SHANTZ, ISAAC, the third son of Abraham Shantz, was born February 12th, 1809. On October 7th, 1830, he was married to Sarah Stauffer. He died January 21st, 1867. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

6577 V SHANTZ, ANNA S, was born May 31st, 1831, and died same day.

6578 V SHANTZ, MARY S., was born August 12th, 1832. She was married to William Ransom, July 3rd, 1855.

6579 V SHANTZ, ABSALOM S., was born January 12th, 1834, and died August 15th, 1876. He was married to Winneford Duston.

6580 V SHANTZ, FRANCES S., was born March 16th, 1836. On September 14th, 1858, she was married to Philip Schupp.

6581 V SHANTZ, ISAAC S., was born March 23rd, 1838, On April 7th, 1876, he was married to Sarah A. Wills.

6582 V SHANTZ, SARAH S., was born December 12th, 1839. On September 19th, 1872, she was married to W. K. Lucas.

6583 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH S., was born March 14th, 1842, and died September 16th, 1858.

6584 V SHANTZ, SUSAN S., was born April 8th, 1844. On October 2nd, 1884, she was married to John Atcheson.

6585 V SHANTZ, SALOME S., was born October 27th, 1846, and died March 21st, 1847.

6586 V SHANTZ, JACOB S., was born March 17th, 1849. On December 24th, 1872, he was married to Lizzie Ryan.

6587 V SHANTZ, CALLIE S., was born September 5th, 1850. On April 22nd, 1875, she was married to Alexander Tully.

6588 V SHANTZ, NAOMI S., was born June 16th, 1853. In October, 1881, she was married to Franklin H. Wills.

6589 IV SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, the second daughter of Abraham Shantz, was born October 16th, 1811. On May 20th, 1828, she was married to Jonas Ziegler. She died June 28th, 1886. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

V MARY, born June 4th, 1830, was married to Peter Nisbett September 22nd, 1845.

V EZRA, born November 1st, 1831, died same day.

V BENJAMIN, born May 30th, 1832, died same day.

V MAGDALENA, born September 30th, 1833, was married to Daniel Friedler January 1st, 1851.

V JONAS, born December 26th, 1835, was married to Catherine Schaeffer December 23rd, 1858.

V LUCETTA, born April 1st, 1838, was married to Jacob Hooping February 7th, 1857.

V ALLIE, born May 2nd, 1841, died October 3, 1842.

V AARON, born May 5th, 1843, was married to Emeline Textor March 16th, 1876.

V NANCY, born August 14th, 1845, was married to Robert Crooks April 15th, 1865.

V BARBARA, born December 21st, 1847, was married to Leslie Hazlett April 7th, 1870. She died December 3rd, 1887.

V MARTHA, born November 10th, 1850, died October 25th, 1852.

V MOSES, born February 26th, 1853, was married to Susannah King January 7th, 1880.

6590 IV SHANTZ, LENA, the third daughter of Abraham Shantz, was born September 3rd, 1812. She was married to Abraham Latschaw January 23rd, 1834. She died June 30th, 1841. No information received in regard to her descendants.

6591 IV SHANTZ, AMOS, the fourth son of old Abraham Shantz, was born August 23rd, 1814. On May 18th, 1835, he was married to Catherine Latschaw who died December 17th, 1870. On September 10th, 1872, he was again married to Margaret Jane Beatty who was born July 8th, 1832. He died June 7th, 1884. Of first wife there were twelve children, and of second wife there was one child. Their names are as follows:

6592 V SHANTZ, NANCY L., was born October 9th, 1835. On January 1st, 1851, she was married to Alexander Gilmore.

6593 V SHANTZ, CATHERINE L., was born November 4th, 1838. On January 1st, 1853, she was married to Daniel Bleakley.

6594 V SHANTZ, AARON L., was born November 22nd, 1840, and died August 28th, 1847.

6595 V SHANTZ, SIDNEY L., was born February 28th, 1843, and died August 31st, 1847.

6596 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH L., was born May 7th, 1845, and died June 10th, 1847.

6597 V SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN L., was born June 2nd, 47, and died June 16th, 1847.

6598 SHANTZ, SARAH L., was born August 5th, 1848. She was married to R. W. Brown, May 27th, 1866.

6599 V SHANTZ, ELLEN L., was born April 8th, 1851, and died March 4th, 1855.

6600 V SHANTZ, AMOS L., was born November 22nd, 1853. He was married to Mary Schuler, May 16th, 1882.

6601 V SHANTZ, HANNAH L., was born March 24th, 1855, and was married to John Pryor, February 2nd, 1875. She died December 15th, 1875.

6602 V SHANTZ, MARY L., was born March 31st, 1855, and died February 3rd, 1861.

6603 V SHANTZ, ANNIE L., was born October 31st, 1860, and died July 11th, 1873.

6604 V SHANTZ, HENRY B., only son of second wife, was born August 5th, 1874.

6605 IV SHANTZ, MARY, was born July 16th, 1816, and died on the 21st of same month.

6606 IV SHANTZ, DAVID, was born August 16th, 1818. He was married to Mary Boyer, October 13th, 1839. She was born August 31st, 1822, and died

March 3rd, 1878. On March 4th, 1883, he was married to Catharine Lutz. With first wife he had a family of twelve children, viz:

6607 V SHANTZ, HENRY B., was born December 3rd, 1840. On August 25th, 1867, he was married to Sarah Musselman. He died March 14th, 1881.

6608 V SHANTZ, JACOB B., was born October 13th, 1842, and died January 16th, 1863.

6609 V SHANTZ, SARAH ELENO B., was born August 17th, 1844. On July 4th, 1872, she was married to Christian Beischinger. She died July 29th, 1877.

6610 V SHANTZ, ABRAHAM B., was born December 11th, 1846. On October 13th, 1870, he was married to Sarah Kline.

6611 V SHANTZ, JOHN B., was born April 27th, 1849. On December 25th, 1873, he was married to Elizabeth Mackey.

6612 V SHANTZ, DAVID B., was born May 25th, 1851. He was married to Julia Schafer who died November 13th, 1881, aged 22 years, 7 months, and 10 days. After the decease of his wife he was married to Emma Schafer, October 2nd, 1883. She died January 20th, 1888, aged 21 years, 6 months, and 7 days.

6613 V SHANTZ, AMOS B., was born July 17th, 1853. On March 7th, 1876, he was married to Mary Knepp.

6614 V SHANTZ, CATHERINE B., was born January 7th, 1856. On December 23rd, 1879, she was married to Samuel W. Hall.

6615 V SHANTZ, MARY B., was born March 29th, 1858, and died June 5th, 1863.

6616 V SHANTZ, ELI B., was born September 29th, 1860, and died June 23rd, 1861.

6617 V SHANTZ, MARTHA B., was born June 23rd, 1862, and died July 31st, 1862.

6618 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH B., was born November 16th, 1864.

6619 IV SHANTZ, ELLEN, was born March 27th, 1821. On November 7th, 1839, she was married to John Flowers who was born August 11th, 1818, and died June 29th, 1862. They had a family of four children, viz:

V MARY ANN, born April 5th, 1842, was first married to Valentine Stork and after his decease to Michael Zoler.

V ABRAM UPTON, born April 13th, 1847, was married to Caroline Oskerman.

V GEORGE DIADORUS, born February 21st, 1853, was married to Isabella Plum.

V EMILINE ELIZABETH, born January 12th, 1855, and died February 3rd, 1855.

6620 (6537) III SHANTZ, ABRAHAM, after the decease of his first wife, was married to Mary Bechtel who was born September 20th, 1796. With the second wife he had a family of five children, viz:

6621 IV SHANTZ, NANCY, was born November 3rd, 1827. She was married, March 31st, 1845, to Samuel Schuler who was born May 26th, 1821. They had a family of eight children, viz:

V SARAH, born May 25th, 1846, was married to Henry A. Tascar, October 6th, 1875.

V MOLLIE, born April 12th, 1848, was married to Samuel West, October 26th, 1869.

V LIBBIE, born July 12th, 1850, was married to Henry Jarvis.

V SEVERINA, born October 23rd, 1852, died November 25th, 1852.

V PHOEBE, born September 12th, 1853, was married to William Gerber, January 9th, 1881.

V NANCY A., born April 15th, 1856, was married to Benjamin M. Weise, October 14th, 1880.

V SHANTZ, born September 21st, 1858, was married to Hattie R. Mackey, November 25th, 1875.

V DAVID, born January 12th, 1861, was married to Annie Weigel, October 28th, 1880.

6622 IV SHANTZ, SARAH, was born November 12th, 1829. In 1850 she was married to J. W. Bowman who was born December 7th, 1823. Their family is as follows, viz:

V MARY, born October 1st, 1850, was married to Abram Sechler, August 25th, 1870.

V EZRA, born October 26th, 1852, died March 27th, 1872.

V HANNAH, born December 5th, 1854, was married to Christopher Columbus Rigby, October 17th, 1878.

V LILLIE, born January 22nd, 1857, was married to Henry A. Thompson, September 22nd, 1881.

V MAGGIE, born September 15th, 1859, was married to George E. Rigby, November 29th, 1883.

V JOSEPH, born July 18th, 1862, died May 21st, 1863.

6623 IV SHANTZ, LIVY, was born September 21st,

1831. She was married to Samuel S., son of Jonathan Bowman. They reside near Conestogo, Woolwich Township, east side of the Grand River. See Samuel S. Bowman's family.

6624 IV SHANTZ, ABRAHAM B., was born July 12th, 1833. On October 10th, 1858, he was married to Eliza Stannard who was born December 12th, 1837. She died June 26th, 1878. After decease of first wife he was married to Catharine Harter in May, 1882. Of first marriage there are five children and of second marriage there is one child. Names of children are as follows:

6625 V SHANTZ, MORTON E., born May 18th, 1859.

6626 V SHANTZ, JESSIE M., born July 12th, 1861, died September 1st, 1866.

6627 V SHANTZ, FREDERICK P., born May 30th, 1867, died March 30th, 1871.

6628 V SHANTZ, JENNIE M., born October 15th, 1873.

6629 V SHANTZ, WALTER R., born September 10th, 1876.

6630 V SHANTZ, DULA M., born November 21st, 1886.

6631 IV SHANTZ, JOSEPH, youngest child of Abraham Shantz, was born March 12th, 1838. No report of his death or family.

6632 III SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN, the second son of Isaac Shantz, was born on the old "Schantzen Homestead" near Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, February 13th, 1779. On October 19th, 1800, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of old "Hannes" Cressman of Chester County, Pennsylvania. She was born January 30th, 1783, and died in Water-

loo County, August 13th, 1866. In May, 1806, he, in company with his wife and family of three children, Philip Bliehm and family, his brother, Abraham, and family, Abraham Cressman, and others, moved to Canada. Mr. Shantz arrived in safety at his farm, being composed of lots Nos. 52 and 55, German Company's Tract. The land is still in possession of three of his grandsons. Here they resided until their deaths. He died November 9th, 1856. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

6633 IV SHANTZ, ANNA, the eldest, was born October 19th, 1801, and died in Waterloo County, October 19th, 1822. She was married to Joseph Baumann. See No. 147.

6634 IV SHANTZ, ISAAC C., was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, July 13th, 1803. On April 3rd, 1827, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Christian Schneider. She was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, March 6th, 1806, and died December 25th, 1891. In May, 1858 he moved to Illinois, U. S., and died in Livingstone County, Illinois, September 20th, 1885. Could not obtain full information in regard to this family. The names of the six eldest of their children are as follows:

6635 V SHANTZ, DANIEL S., was born May 17th, 1833, and died in Grundy County, Illinois, October 19th, 1863. He was married to Elizabeth Peppler, February 21st, 1858. They had two children named VI Allan and VI George.

6636 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born August 15th, 1837. She was married to Jacob Amacher, November 21st, 1855. They reside in Illinois and have a family of thirteen children.

6637 V SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN S., was born August 21st, 1839, and was married in Livingston County,

Illinois, November 22nd, 1866, to Elizabeth Harshbarger. He follows farming. Their family consists of four sons and three daughters. In the year 1887 he was ordained as a minister of the old Mennonite body.

6638 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born November 24th, 1843, and died February 12th, 1845.

6639 V SHANTZ, DAVID, was born January 30th, 1846. He is a farmer in Illinois.

6640 V SHANTZ, ISAAC, was born November 6th, 1849. On December 29th, 1881, he was married to Rachel J. Harshbarger. He is a farmer. They have a family of three children.

6641 IV SHANTZ, BARBARA, the third child of Christian Shantz, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, June 25th, 1805. On December 8th, 1840, she was married to John Bösinger who was born October 7th, 1800. They resided in Oxford County, Ontario, where he died December 22nd, 1882. They had no children.

6642 IV SHANTZ, JOHN C., the fourth child, was born in Waterloo County, one and one-half miles south of Berlin, October 23rd, 1807. On January 12th, 1833, he was married to Anna Detweiler who was born March 8th, 1816, and died in Wilmot Township, February 17th, 1856. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

6643 V SHANTZ, BENJAMIN D., was born August 20th, 1833. He was married to Elizabeth Nahrgang who was born December 12th, 1836, and died June 4th, 1894. They resided in Wadsworth, Michigan, where he died January 15th, 1889, leaving a family of twelve children, namely: VI Nancy, VI Chris-

topher, VI Mary, VI John (dead), VI Lydia (dead), VI Allan, VI Isaac, VI Isabella, VI Salome, VI Caroline, VI Minerva, and VI Alice.

6644 V SHANTZ, MARY ANN, was born August 24th, 1834. She is married to Joseph Nahrgang. See Joseph Nahrgang's family.

6645 V SHANTZ, ABRAHAM D., was born March 6th, 1836. He was first married to Mary Traffy and after her decease to Rosena Bockus. They reside in Walkerton, Ontario, where he is engaged in some business. His family consists of twelve children, namely: VI Nancy (dead), VI Eliza, VI Emma Ann, and VI Enoch of the first wife, and VI David, VI Allan, VI Charles, VI Mary Ann, VI Edith, and two sons and a daughter who died in infancy, names not received, of second wife.

6646 V SHANTZ, AARON D., was born September 17th, 1837, and died June 21st, 1846.

6647 V SHANTZ, JOHN D., was born October 4th, 1839. On February 13th, 1866, he was married to Elizabeth Steiner. She was born December 12th, 1840. They reside in Wilmot Township, Upper Road, near old George Schmidt's farm where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Steiner, VI Lydia (dead), VI Ezra, VI Anna, VI Sarah, VI Tobias, VI Barbara, VI John, and VI Mary Ann.

6648 V SHANTZ, ENOCH D., was born August 6th, 1841. He was first married to Catharine Ruedich and after her decease to Angeline Shoemaker. They reside in Walkerton, Ontario. His family consists of the following children, namely: VI John Henry, VI William Albert, VI Abram Samuel, VI Josiah Jeremiah, and VI Philip of the first wife,

and VI Maud Jane, VI Selvina, and VI Goodwin Sylvester of second wife.

6649 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born March 26th, 1843. She resides in Breslau when home. She is not married.

6650 V SHANTZ, MENNO D., was born November 3rd, 1844. On December 30th, 1873, he was married to Elizabeth Histand who was born October 6th, 1846. They reside at Baden, Ontario, and have a family of four children, namely: VI Harvey, VI Amanda May, VI Catie Elizabeth, and VI Mary Ellen.

6651 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born March 8th, 1847. She was married to David Devitt. They resided near Port Elgin, Ontario, where she died October 28th, 1886. See David Devitt's family.

6652 V SHANTZ, LYDIA, was born April 11th, 1849. She is married to Daniel Hostetler, a farmer. They reside in Maryborough Township, Wellington County, and have a family as follows, namely: VI Mary Ann (dead), VI Emma, VI Minerva (dead VI Maranda (dead), VI Hannah (dead), VI Rebecca, and VI Ella Mary. See Daniel Hostetler's family.

6653 V SHANTZ, NANCY D., was born March 15th, 1851. She is married to John S. Shantz, a farmer. See John S. Shantz's family.

6654 V SHANTZ, SARAH D., was born June 3rd, 1853. She is married to Isaac C. Shantz, a farmer. See Isaac C. Shantz's family.

6655 IV SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN C., was born February 16th, 1810, and died April 9th, 1831.

6656 IV SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born January 14th, 1812, and died March 10th, 1812.

6657 IV SHANTZ, JONAS C., was born July 26th, 1813. On March 28th, 1837, he was married to Hannah, daughter of John C. and Catharine (Shantz) Snyder. She was born July 25th, 1819, and died December 12th, 1848. On January 21st, 1851, he was again married to Mary, daughter of Abraham and Nancy (Clemmer) Janzen.† She was born June 18th, 1802, and died March 26th, 1888. Mr. Shantz shortly after his first marriage moved several miles north of Baden where he still resides. To him and his first wife were born the following children, viz:.

6658 V SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN S., was born July 4th, 1838. In November, 1860, he was married to Nancy Steiner who was born September 11th, 1839, and died May 16th, 1886. They resided in Wilmot Township, north of Baden, where she died. He is still residing on his farm. His family is as follows, namely: VI Veronica, VI Seth, VI Elizabeth, VI Ozia, VI George (dead), VI Barbara, and VI Ira.

6659 V SHANTZ, MOSES S., was born November 14th, 1839. On December 2nd, 1866, he was married to Margaret, daughter of Peter and Anna (Cook) Horst. She was born February 12th, 1847, and died September 7th, 1894. He resides on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one son named V Jonas H., born April 30th, 1867.

6660 V SHANTZ, LEVI S., was born May 8th, 1841. On March 28th, 1865, he was married to Lydia, daughter of Abraham and Nancy (Strome) Rosenberger. She was born May 27th, 1845. They reside on Upper Road, Wilmot Township, where he is

† She was the widow of the late Abraham Honsberger.

engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Abraham, VI Nancy,* VI Isaiah, VI Wendel, VI Barbara (dead), VI Samuel, VI Lydia, VI Sarah, VI Emmery, VI Noah (dead), VI Hannah‡ (dead), and VI Hiram (dead).

6661 V SHANTZ, WENDEL S., was born May 4th, 1843. On November 28th, 1869, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of David and Barbara (Stauffer) Shantz. She was born July 31st, 1846. They reside in Wilmot Township, north of Baden, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of eight children, namely: VI Veronica, VI Barbara (dead), VI Oliver (dead), VI Loida (dead), VI David, VI Manasseh, VI Urias, and VI Saline.

6662 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born November 6th, 1844. On December 25th, 1873, she was married to Andrew Axt. They reside near Philipsburg P. O., Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI Lizzie, VI Jacob, VI Matilda, VI Hannah, VI Maggie (dead), and a son whose name was not received.

6663 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born March 25th, 1846. On January 24th, 1865, she was married to Isaac Rosenberger who was born January 2nd, 1842. See Isaac Rosenberger's family.

6664 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born August 18th, 1847, and died May 13th, 1849.

6665 V SHANTZ, NOAH S., was born December 12th, 1848. He was married, December 24th, 1876, to Nancy, daughter of Michael and Mary (Musselman) Mosser. She was born April 6th, 1855. They reside near Crosshill where he is engaged in farming. To

* Twin to Abraham.
‡ Twin to Noah.

them were born the following children, namely: VI Eli M., VI Mosser M., VI Ervine M.

6666 IV SHANTZ, ELI C., was born January 23rd, 1816. On May 5th, 1840, he was married to Anna, daughter of John and Esther (Wismer) Cressman. She was born November 18th, 1820. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm now in possession of their son, John C., where they resided many years. In his old age Mr. Shantz divided his large estate into two farms and had new buildings erected on the east end, to which place he moved some fifteen years ago. He died September 19th, 1889 leaving a large family, viz:

6667 V SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born March 10th 1841, and died unmarried, December 6th, 1876.

6668 V SHANTZ, ENOS, was born June 26th, 1843. On February 21st, 1883, he was married to Elizabeth Strickler who was born April 29th, 1854, and died March 7th, 1884, leaving no heirs. Mr. Shantz resides a little south-east of Berlin where he owns a beautiful small farm, being part of his great-grandmother's old homestead.

6669 V SHANTZ, JOHN S., was born July 5th, 1846. On February 21st, 1874, he was married to Mary Snyder. They reside on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming on an extensive scale. His family consists of eight children, namely: VI Israel, VI Norman, VI Anna, VI Malinda, VI Titus, VI Alvin, VI Amsey, and VI Mary Ann.

6670 V SHANTZ, ESTHER, was born June 2nd, 1848. She is unmarried and is home with her mother.

6671 V SHANTZ, ANNA, was born March 10th, 1851. On October 24th, 1875, she was married to Ephraim Snyder who died May 18th, 1880. After Mr.

Snyder's death she was again married to Samuel B. Snyder. See Samuel B. Snyder.

6672 V SHANTZ, ELI C., was born March 26th, 1854. On November 9th, 1879, he was married to Lucinda Weber who was born September 2nd, 1855. They reside on east half of lot No. 55, German Company's Tract, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of two children named VI Velina and VI Sylvester.

6673 V SHANTZ, ISRAEL, was born May 29th, 1857, and died November 19th, 1859.

6674 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born September 8th, 1858. She is unmarried and resides with her mother.

6675 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born August 2nd, 1861. On January 2nd, 1883, she was married to John H. Schmidt who was born July 1st, 1858. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Amsey (dead), VI Josiah, VI Manasseh, VI Aden (dead), VI Eli (dead), VI John, VI Clayton (dead), VI Elizabeth Anna (dead), and VI Silvia.

6676 IV SHANTZ, NOAH C., was born January 14th, 1819. On January 26th, 1841, he was married to Hannah Baumann. She was born February 28th, 1819, and died January 28th, 1892. Soon after his marriage he took possession of his father's farm about a mile south-east of Berlin. Here he resided until his death which took place August 8th, 1876.† His family consisted of ten children, viz:

6677 V SHANTZ, HENRY B., was born December

† He was engaged in pulling down the stone foundation of the old dwelling on his farm, when, all of a sudden, part of the wall fell, striking him on the lower part of the body and causing death within a few hours after the accident.

16th, 1841. On October 20th, 1863, he was married to Lydia Snyder. They reside near Berlin where he is engaged in raising vegetables for the market. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Mary Ann, VI Hannah, VI Daniel S., VI Ananias, VI Lydia Ann, VI Alvinia Matilda, VI William Henry, VI Edwin Alvin, VI Samuel S., and VI Minerva (dead).

6678 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born April 6th, 1843, and died April 20th, 1853.

6679 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born August 17th, 1845. On October 11th, 1864, she was married to Isaac S. Weber. They reside about a mile southeast of Berlin. See Isaac S. Weber.

6680 V SHANTZ, MARY, was born October 6th, 1847. On December 13th, 1870, she was married to Martin B. Snyder. See Martin B. Snyder's family.

6681 V SHANTZ, AARON B., was born October 1st, 1849. On May 27th, 1884, he was married to Elizabeth Eby who was born November 19th, 1848. They reside on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

6682 V SHANTZ, LEVI B., was born May 23rd, 1852. On April 29th, 1885, he was married to Aggie Osborne who was born January 19th, 1855. They reside in New York State and have a family of two children named VI Ralph and VI Hattie May.

6683 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born August 12th, 1854. On September 20th, 1874, she was married to Jacob B. Snider. See Jacob B. Snider's family.

6684 V SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born January 21st, 1857. She is married to Benjamin S. Hallman.

They reside in Berlin. See Benjamin S. Hallman's family.

6685 V SHANTZ, NOAH B., was born July 30th, 1861. He is married to Leah Hoenstein. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged with Messrs John Fennell & Son as drayman and teamster. His family consists of two children named VI Clayton and VI Edgar.

6686 V SHANTZ, EMANUEL S., was born July 26th, 1864. He is married to Susannah Shoemaker. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as a drayman. His family is as follows, namely: VI Ion, VI Earl, and VI Maggie May.

6687 IV SHANTZ, DAVID, was born August 1st, 1821, and died December 11th, 1821.

6688 IV SHANTZ, MARY, was born December 29th, 1822, and died March 2nd, 1823.

6689 IV SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born March 7th, 1824. On October 7th, 1862, she was married to Daniel Köhler, a farmer. They resided in Wilmot Township where she died February 26th, 1864, leaving one child named V Magdalena, born February 26th, 1864, and died same day.

6690 III SHANTZ, JACOB, the third son of Isaac and Barbara (Reiff) Shantz, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, October 11th, 1881. In 1805 he was married to Mary Yost who was born in the same county, March 12th, 1784, and died near Berlin, Ontario, October 22nd, 1869. In 1810 they left their native home and moved to Canada. They settled a little south-east of Berlin, on the farm now owned

by their grandson, Jacob B. Shantz. This place old Mr. Shantz purchased from old George (Yarrick) Eby who had settled thereon in 1804. Here Mr. and Mrs. Shantz resided until their deaths. He died July 1st, 1867, leaving a family of ten children, viz:

6691 IV SHANTZ, MARY, was born March 23rd, 1807, and died May 9th, 1809.

6692 IV SHANTZ, ISAAC Y., was born January 31st, 1809. On April 23rd, 1833, he was married to Catharine Clemens who was born February 14th, 1816, and died August 30th, 1869. Soon after their marriage they moved near Shantz Station, on the farm now possessed by their son, Isaac C., where they resided until their deaths. He died October 6th, 1878. To them was born a family of fourteen children, viz:

6693 V SHANTZ, MARY, was born May 16th,1834. On September 12th, 1852, she was maried to Peter Reist. They reside near Kossuth, Ontario. See Peter Reist's family.

6694 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born April 21st, 1836. On August 18th, 1856, she was married to William Roach. They reside at Teeswater, Ontario, where he is engaged as a wage-earner. To them were born the following children, namely: VI James, VI John (dead), VI Isaac, VI Catharine, VI Mary, VI Jeremiah, VI Maggie, VI Susannah, and VI William.

6695 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born April 7th, 1838. She was married to Moses Reist September 5th, 1854, and died March 22nd, 1875. See Moses Reist's family.

6696 V SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born April 12th,

1840. On March 26th, 1854, she was married to John Aamon. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan, where he is engaged as a farmer. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Catharine, VI Aaron, VI Susannah, VI Isaac, VI John, VI Lizzie, VI Amos, VI Allan, VI Norman, VI Maude, and VI Lannie.

6697 V SHANTZ, JACOB C., was born March 4th, 1842, and died at Caledonia, Michigan, December 12th, 1875. He was unmarried.

6698 V SHANTZ, ABRAHAM C., was born May 7th, 1844. On February 25th, 1866, he was married to Catharine Goetz who was born April 20th, 1846. They reside on a farm near Shantz Station. To them were born eleven children, namely: VI Josiah, VI Ephraim (dead), VI Semantha, VI Barbara, VI Isaac F. (dead), VI Ervine, VI Catharine, VI Elizabeth, VI Abraham, VI Nancy, and VI Nelson.

6699 V SHANTZ, LYDIA ANN, was born January 20th, 1847. She was married, November 24th, 1868, to Josiah Moyer, a farmer. See Josiah Moyer's family.

6700 V SHANTZ, NOAH, was born January 29th, 1849, and died February 14th, 1849.

6701 V SHANTZ, OWEN, was born January 27th, 1850. On February 27th, 1870, he was married to Sarah Shoemaker. They reside at Remus, Michigan, where he is engaged as a wage-earner. To them is born a family of five children, namely: VI Addison, VI Nancy, VI Ellen (dead), VI George (dead), and VI Lizzie.

6702 V SHANTZ, MATILDA, was born January 6th, 1852. On December 26th, 1871, she was married to

George Gehl who was born August 3rd, 1849. They reside near Caledonia, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born seven children, namely: VI Allan, VI Norman (dead), VI Elsie, VI Malinda, VI Alice (dead), VI Richard, and VI Eva.

6703 V SHANTZ, ISAAC C., was born January 20th, 1854. On February 28th, 1875, he was married to Sarah Shantz who was born June 3rd, 1853. They reside on his father's old homestead near Shantz Station where he is engaged in farming. To them were born eight children, namely: VI Norman (dead), VI Edwin, VI Luannah, VI Mary Ann, VI Edith, VI Sylvina, VI Sarah Ann (dead), and VI Laura May.

6704 V SHANTZ, RACHEL, was born March 27th, 1856. On February 27th, 1876, she was married to Noah W. Shantz. They resided in Michigan but several years ago they returned to Berlin where she died. See Noah W. Shantz's family.

6705 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born March 25th, 1858. On January 6th, 1880, she was married to Ferdinand Latsch who was born May 13th, 1854. They reside at Centreville where he is engaged in farming and shoemaking. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Norman, VI Alice, VI Nelson, VI Milton, VI Essie May, and VI Harvey.

6706 V SHANTZ, CLEMENS, was born May 27th, 1860, and died July 29th, 1861.

6707 IV SHANTZ, JOHN Y., the second son, was born February 6th, 1811. On March 28th, 1837, he was

married to Susannah Scheirich. She was born April 1st, 1820, and died April 6th, 1884. Soon after their marriage they settled on their farm, then nearly all forest, near Shantz Station, where they resided until their deaths. During the last years of his life he was so unfortunate as to lose his eyesight. He died February 23rd, 1891, leaving a large family, viz:

6708 V SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born August 25th, 1838. She was married, March 20th, 1860, to Isaac Moyer, a farmer. They resided at Kossuth, Ontario, where she died March 4th, 1885, leaving a family. See Isaac Moyer's family.

6709 V SHANTZ, MARY (Polly), was born January 16th, 1840. She was married to Benjamin Shoemaker, a farmer. They resided several miles east of Berlin where she died June 5th, 1890. See Benjamin Shoemaker's family.

6710 V SHANTZ, ELIAS, was born June 14th, 1841. On March 1st, 1864, he was married to Susannah Brubacher who was born October 30th, 1847. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged as travelling agent. Their family is as follows: VI Sarah Ann, VI Jeremiah, VI Leah, VI Rosanna, VI Elijah, VI Ida, and VI Silvia (dead).

6711 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born March 25th, 1843. On March 17th, 1863, she was married to Moses Hallman who was born June 25th, 1841, and died in Wellesley, September 2nd, 1864, leaving no family. On October 6th, 1867, she was again married to John Shafer who was born March 28th, 1842. They reside in the town of Berlin. To them is born a family of six children, namely: VI Ephraim, VI

Norman, VI Priscilla, VI Ervine, VI Nancy (dead), and VI Susannah (dead).

6712 V SHANTZ, DILMAN, was born February 7th, 1845, and died October 14th, 1878. He was not married.

6713 V SHANTZ, JACOB, was born December 4th, 1846, and died June 24th, 1864.

6714 V SHANTZ, JOHN S., twin brother to Jacob, was born December 4th, 1846. He was married to Nancy D. Shantz, January 29th, 1873. They resided on the old "Bricker Farm" at Breslau until 1895 when they moved to Berlin where they now reside. To them was born a family of six children, namely: VI Alvin, VI Susannah, VI Linie Ann, VI Anson (dead), VI Annetta, and VI Laurena.

6715 V SHANTZ, JOEL, was born March 14th, 1848, and died August 21st, 1848.

6716 V SHANTZ, BENJAMIN, was born September 9th, 1849, and died September 21st, 1849.

6717 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born August 26th, 1850. On March 3rd, 1872, she was married to Noah Weber who died March 19th, 1880, leaving no family. The widow has her home in Berlin with one of her sisters.

6718 V SHANTZ, LYDIA, was born June 5th, 1853, and died April 6th, 1882. She was not married.

6719 V SHANTZ, LEAH, was born February 28th, 1855, and died December 20th, 1872.

6720 V SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born January 1st, 1857. On September 24th, 1878, she was married to Peter Shupe. They reside in Berlin. See Peter Shupe's family.

6721 V SHANTZ, NANCY, was born October 4th, 1858. She was married to Levi H. Stauffer, a farmer. They resided near Shantz Station where she died January 31st, 1884. Her family consisted of two children, namely: VI Ada and VI Susannah, both dead.

6722 V SHANTZ, OLIVER, was born August 12th, 1861. He is a civil engineer and is a graduate of Ithaca College, New York. At present he is practising his profession in the city of New York where he resides. He is unmarried.

6723 IV SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born May 23rd, 1813. On April 16th, 1833, she was married to Abraham D. Clemens who was born April 17th, 1813, and died April 15th 1877. They resided near Williamsburg where she died August 26th, 1887. See Abraham D. Clemens' family.

6724 IV SHANTZ, JOSEPH Y., was born July 10th, 1815. On May 15th, 1838, he was married to Elizabeth Stauffer who was born January 5th, 1820. They reside in Wilmot Township where he followed farming many years but now lives retired. To them were born the following children, viz:

6725 V SHANTZ, AARON, was born May 27th, 1839. On June 10th, 1863, he was married to Barbara Nahrgang who was born December 31st, 1841, and died June 21st, 1876. On December 23rd, 1877, he was again married to Mary Biehn who was born November 21st, 1847. He resides in Wilmot Township, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Hannah, VI Judith, VI Berceda, VI Odo (dead), VI Maria, VI Barbara,

and VI Rebecca of first wife, and VI Elizabeth of second wife.

6726 V SHANTZ, JACOB, was born March 17th, 1841, and died July 8th, 1845.

6727 V SHANTZ, DANIEL, was born January 4th, 1844. He was married, March 10th, 1868, to Mary Nahrgang who was born November 2nd, 1847. They reside in Wilmot Township, near Haysville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Norman, VI Oziah, VI Anna, VI Ella, VI Joseph, VI Simeon, and VI Clara.

6728 V SHANTZ, SIMON, was born January 30th, 1846, and died September 16th, 1847.

6729 V SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born June 25th, 1848, On November 10th, 1874, she was married to Daniel Cressman, a farmer. See No. 2127.

6730 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born July 8th, 1850. On October 2nd, 1877, she was married to Noah S. Bean, a farmer. They reside near Haysville, Ontario. To them were born six children, namely: VI Lizzie, VI Simon, VI Bernice, VI H. Warren, VI Saloma, and VI Susannah. See No. 1019.

6731 V SHANTZ, SOLOMON, was born May 31st, 1852. He was married, February 6th, 1877, to Mary Ann Hostetler who was born May 20th, 1856. They reside near Haysville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Maggie, VI Judith, VI Priscilla, VI Moses, VI Ephraim, and VI Mabel.

6732 V SHANTZ, REV. DAVID S., was born May 13th, 1854. On September 25th, 1877, he was married to

Susannah Elizabeth Erb who was born December 15th, 1855. He resided near Haysville, Ontario, for several years where he was engaged in farming. In 1886 he entered the ministry of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ denomination, for which body he was an ardent laborer until lately when he, owing to failing health, had to quit preaching for a short time. At present he is engaged as an evangelist, assisting in the tabernacle work. He resides on his farm again and has a family of seven children, namely: VI Melanchton, VI Louisa, VI Hannah, VI Llewellyn, VI Phoebe (dead), VI Ida, and VI Ross.

6733 V SHANTZ, MARY, was born April 21st, 1856. She was married to Daniel Christner, a farmer. They resided in Wilmot Centre where she died April 21st, 1884, leaving a family of four children, namely: VI Ira, VI David, VI Ida, and VI Elton.

6734 V SHANTZ, NOAH S., was born May 16th, 1859. On March 6th, 1883, he was married to Susannah Cassel who was born March 3rd, 1860. They reside in Wilmot Township where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Laura, VI Eden, VI Mary Ann, VI Lincoln, and VI Walter.

6735 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born December 23rd, 1861. On November 29th, 1881, she was married to Moses M. Cressman who was born March 19th, 1859. They reside near Haysville, Ontario. Their family is as follows: VI Ivan and VI Addis.

6736 V SHANTZ, LOUISA, was born December 17th, 1865. On March 23rd, 1886, she was married to Ezra M. Cressman, a farmer. They reside near New Hamburg and have two children, namely: VI Leander and VI Curtis.

6737 IV SHANTZ, JOSHUA Y., was born near Berlin,

September 11th, 1817. On March 17th, 1840, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Henry and Catharine (Miller) Martin. She was born December 8th, 1822, and died February 6th, 1892. They resided in Wilmot Township where he followed farming many years. To them were born ten children, viz:

6738 V SHANTZ, MARY, was born August 8th, 1841. She was married to John Nahrgang. They resided near Wilmot Centre, where she died May 27th, 1886. See John Nahrgang's family.

6739 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born October 1st, 1842. On October 21st, 1862, she was married to Jacob S. Hallman. See Jacob S. Hallman's family.

6740 V SHANTZ, HENRY, was born December 12th, 1844, and died March 29th, 1848.

6741 V SHANTZ, AMOS M., was born June 15th, 1847. On August 16th, 1870, he was married to Isabella Nahrgang who was born June 9th, 1850, and died October 14th, 1871. On December 3rd, 1873, he was again married to Esther Cressman who was born January 20th, 1848. He resides near Manheim, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Jeremiah and VI Josiah (twins), of first wife, and VI Jonathan, VI Nancy, VI Selina, VI Addison, VI Samuel, VI Magdalena, VI Barbara, VI Elminda, and VI Silva of second wife.

6742 V SHANTZ, MENNO M., was born April 4th, 1850. On November 27th, 1877, he was married to Susannah Bowman who was born April 23rd, 1859. They reside near New Dundee where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI

Milton, VI Moses, VI Anna, VI Joshua, VI Magdalena, and VI Elvin.

6743 V SHANTZ, LEAH, was born May 16th, 1852. In 1881 she was married to Nathaniel Bergey. They reside near Manheim and have a family of eight children, namely: VI Joshua E., VI Simon E., VI Myra Elma, VI Jacob Edgar, VI Wesley David, VI Sadie Elizabeth, VI Gordon Nathaniel, and VI Olive Luida.

6744 V SHANTZ, NANCY, was born September 18th, 1854. On February 13th, 1877, she was married to Joseph S. Shantz. They resided near Hespeler where she died March 13th, 1885, leaving a family of two sons named VI Edwin and VI Simon.

6745 V SHANTZ, LYDIA, was born January 22nd, 1858. On February 5th, 1878, she was married to Rev. Moses C. Bowman who was born January 1st, 1855. See No. 107.

6746 V SHANTZ, LUCINDA, was born October 8th, 1859. She is married to David H. Snyder, a farmer. They reside in Wilmot Township, on the Blenheim Township line. To them were born three children, namely: VI Ida, VI Mary Ann, and VI Allan (dead).

6747 V SHANTZ, JOSHUA M., was born May 2nd, 1862. He is married to Hannah Rosenberger. They reside south of Baden, on Huron Road, where he is engaged in farming.

6748 IV SHANTZ, DAVID Y., was born near Berlin, Ontario, August 29th, 1819. On March 15th, 1842, he was married to Barbara Stauffer who was born October 16th, 1822. Shortly after their marriage

they moved on their farm in Wilmot Township where he died October 24th, 1894, leaving a family of five children, viz:

6749 V SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born January 5th, 1843. On March 26th, 1861, she was married to Moses K. Snyder. They reside north of Baden. See Moses K. Snyder's family.

6750 V SHANTZ, MARY ANN, was born July 31st, 1846. She is married to Wendel S. Shantz. They reside near Philipsburg, Ontario. See Wendel S. Shantz's family.

6751 V SHANTZ, DAVID S., was born June 23rd, 1859. On October 11th, 1883, he was married to Leah Christner. They reside near Baden, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born six children, namely: VI Harvey, VI Elmer, VI Cummin, VI Elroy, VI Wesley, and VI Oliver.

6752 V SHANTZ, STAUFFER S., was born January 24th, 1862. He is married to Maggie Snyder. They reside near Baden where he is engaged in farming.

6753 V SHANTZ, HERMAN S., was born March 2nd, 1864. He is married to Sarah Smith. They reside near Baden, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

6754 IV SHANTZ, JACOB Y., was born near Berlin, May 2nd, 1822. On May 2nd, 1843, he was married to Barbara Biehn who was born April 7th, 1819, and died May 16th, 1853. He was again married, December 6th, 1853, to Nancy Brubacher who was born September 19th, 1832, and died in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, while there on a visit, October 1st, 1870. On October 1st, 1871, he was married the third time to Sarah Shuh who was born June 9th, 1823, and died April 29th, 1893.

After Mr. Shantz's first marriage he took possession of his father's farm, still known as "Jacob Shantz's place," where he resided for upwards of some forty years, then he moved to Berlin where he is now residing. His family consists of twelve children, five of whom are of first wife and the remaining seven of second wife. Their names are as follows:

6755 V SHANTZ, HARRIET B., was born August 31st, 1844. On March 18th, 1866, she was married to Rev. Jacob B. Detweiler. They have no family. See No. 2305.

6756 V SHANTZ, VERONICA B., was born June 15th, 1846. On February 21st, 1865, she was married to Andrew E. Weber. See Andrew E. Weber's family.

6757 V SHANTZ, LUCINDA B., was born September 7th, 1848. On March 10th, 1868, she was married to Esra Schneider. See Esra Schneider's family.

6758 V SHANTZ, EPHRAIM B., was born May 7th, 1850. On January 4th, 1874, he was married to Hannah Snider who was born April 23rd, 1857. Shortly after their marriage they moved on a farm a few miles south of Berlin where they resided until March, 1894, when he sold the place and in April of the same year they moved to Didsbury, Alberta, N. W. T., where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Selina, VI Elsie, and VI Burton.

6759 V SHANTZ, MOSES B., was born August 24th, 1852. He is married to Veronica Bingeman. They reside in Rochester, New York, where he is engaged in manufacturing ivory and pearl buttons. His family consists of the following children, namely: VI J. Edgar, VI H. Elizabeth, VI J. Alson, VI Walter B. (dead), VI Vera Maud, VI Katie Irene, VI Marshal, and VI Harold.

6760 V SHANTZ, JACOB B., was born March 8th, 1855. He is married to Catharine Hipple and resides on his father's and grandfather's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

6761 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born March 25th, 1856. She was married to Dilman G. Moyer and resided near Bridgeport, Ontario, where she died August 25th, 1881, leaving two children, namely: VI Milton and VI Susannah.

6762 V SHANTZ, DILMAN B., was born November 18th, 1857. He is married to Lizzie Martin. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in manufacturing vegetable ivory and pearl buttons. His family consists of two children, namely: VI Mary and VI Arnott.

6763 V SHANTZ, MARY, was born May 9th, 1859. She is married to Noah B. Detweiler. They reside in Buffalo, New York. See No. 2317.

6764 V SHANTZ, JOHN B., twin brother to Mary, was born May 9th, 1859. He is married to Joannah Bowman (No. 230) and resides in Buffalo, New York, where he is engaged in the button business. To them were born two children, namely: VI Elson and VI John Elmer (dead).

6765 V SHANTZ, LOIDE, was born May 5th, 1867. She is engaged as book-keeper for the J. Y. Shantz & Son Button Company, Limited. She is not married.

6766 V SHANTZ, EUNICE, was born November 27th, 1868. She is unmarried and has her home with her father in Berlin.

6767 IV SHANTZ, SAMUEL Y., was born January 15th, 1825. On March 11th, 1845, he was married to Esther Erb who was born April 6th, 1827. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm where now is what is known as Shantz Station* where they resided until the Grand Trunk Railroad was built when he sold his farm to the company and moved to North Dumfries Township, not far from Blair, where he purchased a large farm. Here he resided until some twenty years ago when he purchased the farm† on which he now resides. It is about two and one-half miles south-west of Berlin. To them was born a large family. Names of children are as follows:

6768 V SHANTZ, ANGELINE, was born April 10th, 1846. On May 3rd, 1864, she was married to Rev. Solomon Gehman. See Nos. 3030 to 3036.

6769 V SHANTZ, PETER E., was born August 25th, 1849. He is married to Maria C. Bowers. They reside in Preston, Ontario, where he is engaged in manufacturing all kinds of farm implements. His family is as follows, namely: VI Esther (dead), VI Frederick, VI Minnie B., VI Grace Maria, VI Cyrus B., VI Samuel B., VI Rose Matilda, and VI Alexander.

6770 V SHANTZ, WENDELL E., was born September 16th, 1851. On February 13th, 1872, he was married to Nancy Bowman who was born January 24th, 1851. They reside near Berlin, on the farm formerly possessed by David B. Snyder. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Allan, VI Urias, VI Loida, VI Susannah, VI Sidney, VI Malinda, and VI Alberta.

6771 V SHANTZ, AARON E., was born April 7th, 1853. On March 8th, 1874, he was married to Hannah Snyder who was born January 29th, 1857.

* Shantz Station was named after Mr. Shantz and was situated near where his farm buildings were located. The station was burnt many years ago but the place still goes by that name.

† This farm belonged to Jacob M. Clemens, generally known as "Bachelor Jacob," and after his decease it was sold and Mr. Shantz purchased it.

They reside a little south of Berlin where he is engaged in farming. Their family consisted of seven children, namely: VI Rebecca (dead), VI Alvin, VI Addison, VI Samuel, VI Nora, VI Ella May, and Olive Irene.

6772 V SHANTZ, JACOB E., was born April 27th, 1855. On November 27th, 1877, he was married to Lydia U. Bowman who was born April 14th, 1855. They reside on the old "David Schneider Place" at Freeport, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born four children, namely: VI Ervine, VI Benjamin, VI Lydia Ann (dead), and VI Esther.

6773 V SHANTZ, MARY ANN, twin sister to Jacob E., was born April 27th, 1855. She was married to Isaac C. Snyder, a carpenter. See Isaac C. Snyder's family.

6774 V SHANTZ, MOSES E., was born May 21st, 1857. On December 12th, 1882, he was married to Magdalena Betzner who was born January 1st, 1861. They reside on the old "Moses Schneider Place" where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of four children, namely: VI Loanna, VI Lincoln, VI Clayton, and VI Vernon.

6775 V SHANTZ, SAMUEL E., was born February 16th, 1859. On October 5th, 1880, he was married to Lucinda Shoemaker who was born August 9th, 1861. They reside on part of his father's homestead where he is engaged in farming. To them are born three children, namely: VI Silva, VI Bella May, and VI Percey.

6776 V SHANTZ, DANIEL E., was born October 13th, 1860. On February 10th, 1884, he was married to Hannah Snyder who was born October 11th, 1865. They reside on part of her father's old homestead

two miles south-east of Berlin where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Algerdie, VI Harvey, and VI Ralph.

6777 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born April 5th, 1862. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

6778 V SHANTZ, FRANKLIN E., was born October 13th, 1863. On September 28th, 1886, he was married to Selina Cressman who was born December 15th, 1867. They reside on his father's old homestead. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Fannie Violet and VI Lloyd.

6779 V SHANTZ, NANCY, was born October 9th, 1865, and died December 6th, 1866.

6780 V SHANTZ, ESTHER, was born October 5th, 1867. On October 1st, 1889, she was married to David Wismer, a farmer. They reside near Blair, Ontario, and have a family of one child named VI David Elton. See David Wismer's family.

6781 IV SHANTZ, AMOS, the youngest son of Jacob and Mary (Yost) Shantz, was born May 31st, 1829. On March 2nd, 1852, he was married to Nancy, daughter of Abraham and Barbara (Shantz) Moyer. She was born September 2nd, 1835. Shortly after their marriage they moved on a farm four miles west of New Dundee, where he was engaged in farming until March, 1883, when they moved to Berlin where they still reside. To them were born the following children, viz:

6782 V SHANTZ, MOSES, was born November 28th, 1852, and died December 5th, 1852.

6783 V SHANTZ, LEVI, was born December 10th, 1853.

He is married to Nancy Cressman and resides in Berlin where he is engaged with the J. Y. Shantz & Son Button Co. To them were born seven children, namely: VI Elminda, VI Dianah, VI Mary Ann, VI Ida, VI Morgan, VI Leander, and VI Rosetta.

6784 V SHANTZ, LEVINA, was born July 19th, 1856. She is married to Cyrus Rickert, a farmer. They reside near Manheim, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Ervine, VI Addison, VI Harvey, VI Clara, VI Sidney, VI Malinda (dead), and a boy whose name was not received.

6785 V SHANTZ, JACOB M., was born April 16th, 1858. He is married to Mary Ann Bingeman. They reside near Plattsville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born the following children, namely: VI Abiah, VI Ira, and VI Ebner.

6786 V SHANTZ, ABRAHAM, was born September 29th, 1860. He is married to Sarah Good. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in the tinsmith business with C. E. Moyer. His family consists of one child named VI Sylva.

6787 V SHANTZ, AMOS, was born April 22nd, 1865. He is married to Clara Giller. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as delivery man for Bramm Bros., millers. His family consists of one son named VI Leslie.

6788 V SHANTZ, NANCY, twin sister to Amos, was born April 22nd, 1865. She is unmarried and has her home with her brother, Jacob.

6789 V SHANTZ, MALINDA, was born June 4th, 1875. She is unmarried and is home with her parents.

6790 III SHANTZ, ISAAC, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, April 23rd, 1783. On October 15th, 1808, he was married to Esther, daughter of George and Elizabeth (Morris) Bechtel. She was born February 2nd, 1786, and died near Berlin, Ontario, July 24th, 1867. In 1808 Mr. Shantz, in company with his mother, his brother, Joseph, and his sister, Veronica, moved to Canada and settled on the farm now in possession of Abraham H. Wamboldt.† Here he resided until his death which took place December 12th, 1854. To them were born eleven children, viz:

6791 IV SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born August 11th, 1809, and died January 22nd, 1821.

6792 IV SHANTZ, SAMUEL, was born January 16th, 1811. On March 28th, 1830, he was married to Susannah Erb who was born November 13th, 1810, and died October 7th, 1844. On March 25th, 1845, he was again married to Rebecca Rudy who was born October 29th, 1825. Although deprived of first class school privileges and his time devoted to constant labor on his father's farm, his desire for information made him seek opportunities for acquiring knowledge This, added to his natural abilities, gave Mr. Shantz great success in acquiring information on all topics. His stock of knowledge and experience made him a wise counsellor and a judicious adviser; and on many occasions, both in public and private interests, his counsel was sought and obtained. After his first marriage he took charge of his own farm, about three miles west of Berlin, and commenced clearing away the huge forest and erected the necessary buildings thereon. In due time he was the possessor of one of the finest farms on the Petersburg Road. Here he resided until his death which took place January 18th, 1895. His family consisted of twenty-two children, ten of whom were born unto his first wife. Names of children are as follows:

6793 V SHANTZ, LEVI, was born December 11th, 1830, and died August 27th, 1832.

† This farm is a little to the south-east of Berlin.

6794 V SHANTZ, IRA, was born May 13th, 1832, and died same day.

6795 V SHANTZ, MARY ANN, was born August 17th, 1833. In January, 1856, she was married to Daniel Bean and died February 28th, 1861, leaving two children, namely: VI Susannah and VI Rebecca. See No. 982 and 983.

6796 V SHANTZ, NANCY, was born May 5th, 1835. On December 12th, 1854, she was married to Abraham Rudy, a farmer. She died August 12th, 1857, leaving two daughters, namely: VI Susannah and VI Elizabeth. See Abraham Rudy's family.

6797 V SHANTZ, SAMUEL E., M. D., was born June 11th, 1836. His boyhood days were spent on the farm and when up in his teens he was clerking in Mr. Daniel Snyder's store, Waterloo. Leaning more towards a professional life, he gave up the mercantile calling and attended the university where he in due time graduated as an M. D. He practised in St. Peter, Minnesota, U. S., where he had received a high position from the state government. His death took place August 22nd, 1868. On May 21st, 1868, he was married to Louisa Graham. To them was born one child named VI Cornelia.

6798 V SHANTZ, ODO, was born April 3rd, 1838, and died same day.

6799 V SHANTZ, ISAAC E., was born May 23rd, 1839. On December 23rd, 1860, he was married to Magdalena Eby. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in the foundry of which he is proprietor. His family consisted of six children, viz:

6800 VI SHANTZ, JOSIAH, was born November 18th, 1861. He is married to Eliza Shantz and resides in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in running a dray. To them were born the following children,

namely: VII Elden Roy, VII Ivan Abner, VII Vernon Floyd, VII Gordon, and VII Nettie.

6801 VI SHANTZ, DILMAN, was born February 28th, 1863, and died same day.

6802 VI SHANTZ, EDMUND, was born July 14th, 1865. He is married to Susannah Groff. They reside at Bridgeport where he is engaged in farming. To them are born two children, namely: VII Alson and VII Edna.

6803 VI SHANTZ, ELMINA, was born November 22nd, 1868. She is married to Rev. Christian R. Miller. They reside in Berlin. He is engaged as assistant minister to Rev. Solomon Eby on the Bethel field of labor.

6804 VI SHANTZ, MARY ANN, was born June 5th, 1871. She is married to Amos Groff, a farmer. They reside near Waterloo, on Mr. Jacob Groff's farm.

6805 VI SHANTZ, MILTON E., the youngest in the family, was born July 8th, 1873. He is engaged as book-keeper in the office of I. E. Shantz & Co., Berlin. He is residing with his parents.

6806 V SHANTZ, MENNO E., was born March 11th, 1841. On September 18th, 1864, he was married to Barbara Rudy. They reside in Wilmot Township, about a mile east of Petersburg, Ontario, where he is the owner of two farms. His family consists of six children, viz:

6807 VI SHANTZ, NELSON, was born June 11th, 1865. He is married to Barbara Snyder. They reside near his father's home where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VII

Agnes Isabella, VII Arthur Clayton, VII Lorne Alexander, and VII Cornelia.

6808 VI SHANTZ, ANGELINE, was born October 6th, 1867. She is married to Samuel Snyder. They reside in Wilmot Township where he is engaged in farming, and have a family of one child named VII Perly May.

6809 VI SHANTZ, CLEASON, was born July 28th, 1870. He is married to Maria Shantz and resides on the old "Jacob Snyder Farm" at Waterloo where he is engaged in farming.

6810 VI SHANTZ, WILLIAM R., born April 3rd, 1872.

6811 VI SHANTZ, MARIA, born May 28th, 1876.

6812 VI SHANTZ, CLARA, born July 1st, 1884.

6813 V SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born April 12th, 1842. On September 18th, 1860, she was married to David Devitt and died February 23rd, 1879, leaving a family of seven children, namely: VI Harriet, VI Samuel, VI Elizabeth, VI Susannah, VI Josiah, VI Barbara, and VI David. All are dead save Barbara who was born February 15th, 1873.

6814 V SHANTZ, AARON E., was born September 9th, 1844. On March 28th, 1869, he was married to Veronica Eby who was born September 19th, 1843, and died in Winnipeg. Manitoba, November 16th, 1885. After her decease he was married to Fannie May Flanaghan who died a few years after their marriage. Some time after the decease of his second wife he was again married to a Mrs. Ried who died a few years ago, In spring of 1895 he was married the fourth time to Nellie Gasgone, widow of the late John Hagen. They reside in Winnipeg, Manitoba, where he is engaged in the mercantile business. His family consisted of nine children, namely: VI Nettie (dead), VI Malinda (dead), VI Jacob (dead), VI Adaline, VI Edwin

(dead), VI Ida, VI Elsie (dead), and VI Edith of first wife, and VI Fannie May of second wife.

6815 V SHANTZ, DANIEL, was born January 1st, 1846, and died August 4th, 1848.

6816 V SHANTZ, ESTHER, was born December 27th, 1847. On November 29th, 1871, she was married to Menno Shoemaker. See Menno Shoemaker's family.

6817 V SHANTZ, ABRAHAM, was born May 2nd, 1850, and died January 23rd, 1861.

6818 V SHANTZ, MOSES R., was born February 13th, 1852. On January 20th, 1874, he was married to Rebecca Rickhert who died December 25th, 1881. On October 8th, 1882, he was again married to Caroline Lipps who was born October 29th, 1862. He resides about three miles west of Waterloo where he is engaged in farming. The names of his children are as follows: VI Sarah, VI Edwin, and VI Lovina (dead) of first wife, and VI Ella May, VI Wesley, and VI Dora of second wife.

6819 V SHANTZ, EMILY, was born February 18th, 1854. On December 9th, 1873, she was married to Samuel C. Bowman. See No. 106.

6820 V SHANTZ, JOSIAH, was born February 20th, 1856, and died February 5th, 1861.

6821 V SHANTZ, NELSON, was born August 2nd, 1858, and died January 18th, 1861.

6822 V SHANTZ, MATILDA, was born October 16th, 1860. On February 12th, 1879, she was married to Noah E. Eby, and has a family of seven children, namely: VI Josiah, VI Louisa, VI Samuel, VI Edwin, VI Cemantha, VI Priscilla, and VI Milton. See No. 2548.

6823 V SHANTZ, ISRAEL R., was born August 15th, 1863. He is married to Elizabeth Schmitt. They reside on his father's old homestead. To them are born the following children, namely: VI Soleda May, VI Lloyd Dwight, VI Samuel, and VI Orva.

6824 V SHANTZ, ALLEN R., was born September 2nd, 1865. He is married to Louisa Miller and resides in Buffalo, New York, where he is engaged in manufacturing cigars. They had one child which died in infancy.

6825 V SHANTZ, LOUISA REBECCA, was born October 20th, 1867. On March 14th, 1886, she was married to Benjamin E. Eby. They reside in the town of Galt. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Milford and VI Sylva Pearl.

6826 V SHANTZ, SIMON R., was born April 28th, 1871. He is married to Lydia Ann Knorr. They reside on part of the old homestead where he is engaged in farming. They have one child named VI Alberta May.

6827 IV SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born May 6th, 1812, and died April 22nd, 1887. On November 28th, 1830, she was married to Abraham Moyer. See Abraham Moyer's family.

6828 IV SHANTZ, MARY, was born January 14th, 1814, and died December 22nd, 1875. On September 10th, 1834, she was married to Samuel Herner. See Samuel Herner's family.

6829 IV SHANTZ, SARAH (Sallie), was born January 21st, 1816, and died October 18th, 1881. On January 28th, 1834, he was married to Joseph E. Schneider. See Joseph E. Schneider's family.

6830 IV SHANTZ, NANCY, was born August 11th, 1817. On March 1st, 1836, she was married to Benjamin Weber. At present she resides with her daughter, Anna (Mrs. Noah Detweiler). See Benjamin Weber's family.

6831 IV SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born October 27th, 1819, and died September 7th, 1893. On May 11th, 1841, she was married to Joseph Cressman. See Nos. 2067 to 2074.

6832 IV SHANTZ, ESTHER, was born January 7th, 1823, and died September 16th, 1883. She was married to David Eshelman. See No. 2983 to 2991.

6833 IV SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born April 19th, 1825, and died April 19th, 1887. On March 27th, 1845, she was married to Benjamin B. Snyder. See Benjamin B. Snyder's family.

6834 IV SHANTZ, ISAAC B., was born near Berlin, Ontario, May 18th, 1827. On October 1st, 1850, he was married to Magdalena Latschaw who was born April 3rd, 1832, and died February 22nd, 1856. On December 12th, 1856, he was again married to Maria Shantz who was born June 17th, 1827, and died December 23rd, 1885. At present Mr. Shantz resides in the town of Berlin where he is living retired. His family consisted of ten children, three of whom were born unto his first wife. Their names are as follows:

6835 V SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born June 19th, 1851, and died September 30th, 1885. She was married to Daniel Kesselring, a farmer, and had a family of six children, namely: VI Lydia Ann, VI Mary, VI Barbara, VI Emma (dead), VI William, and VI Elmina (dead).

6836 V SHANTZ, AMOS, was born May 11th, 1853, and died March 16th, 1856.

6837 V SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born July 11th, 1855, and died August 13th, 1856.

6838 V SHANTZ, LYDIA S., was born November 9th, 1857. She is unmarried and is home with her father for whom she is keeping house.

6839 V SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born November 26th, 1859. She is married to John Kercher. They reside on the old "Henry Wismer Place" near Centreville, where he is engaged in farming. They have two children, namely: VI Edna and VI Lloyd.

6840 V SHANTZ, EZRA S., was born August 28th, 1862. He is married to Lydia Honsberger and resides on his father's old homestead several miles west of the town of Waterloo, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of three children, namely: VI Elmer, VI Herbert, and VI Pharez.

6841 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born October 10th, 1864, and died March 27th, 1883.

6842 V SHANTZ, RACHEL, was born November 18th, 1867, and died March 28th, 1872.

6843 V SHANTZ, WILLIAM, was born December 28th, 1869. He is married to Hannah Good and resides on the "Wm. Trussler Place" about three miles west of Berlin, where he is engaged in farming. To them was born one child named VI Vera Viola (dead).

6844 V SHANTZ, JOSEPH S., was born June 21st, 1872. He is unmarried and is engaged as clerk with Mr. A. S. Hallman.

6845 IV SHANTZ, LEAH, was born December 1st, 1829. On October 19th, 1851, she was married to Solomon Martin. They reside in Huron County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. See Solomon Martin's family.

6846 III SHANTZ, DAVID, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, March 7th, 1787. In 1809 he came to Canada and settled on part of lot No. 1, German Company's Tract, township and county of Waterloo, Ontario, where he resided until his death which took place April 8th, 1879. He was married to Elizabeth Pannebecker† who was born July 16th, 1793, and died of cancer December 1st, 1863. They had no family but had adopted seven children whom they raised save one who died in infancy.

6847 III SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born November 14th, 1789. In 1808 she was married to Abraham Biehn, a farmer. They resided near Doon where she died July 27th, 1876. See Nos. 1028 to 1043.

6848 III SHANTZ, SAMUEL, was born July 7th, 1792, and died December 19th, 1792.

6849 III SHANTZ, JOSEPH, the youngest son of Isaac and Barbara (Reiff) Shantz, was born near Pottstown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, June 24th, 1795. In May, 1808, his mother, with her three youngest children, David, Veronica, and Joseph, who was then only thirteen years of age, moved to Canada and arrived in Waterloo County in June. On the 21st or 22nd of the same month she took possession of her bush farm, being composed of part of lot No. 52, German Company's Tract. About six acres were cleared and cleaned and a log house put up, but this house was without roof and floor until their coming. The lumber was purchased in Galt and the first thing

† See Cornelius Pannebecker's family for information.

the party had to do on their arrival was to put on the board roof and lay the floor, and then the house was ready to move into. By four o'clock in the afternoon everything was put in its proper place and everybody felt happy and well at home except Joseph who stood outside the house and wept bitterly, being sick of the wild and romantic life and wishing himself home at Pottstown again. So much did he weep that his mother came out to speak words of comfort to him, upon which he said, "O mother, what made you leave our beautiful home and come here where there is nothing but bush and flies? Why had you to listen to Christian?† It is not at all as he used to say." The mother, listening to her son's lamentable tale, said, "Joseph, now do quit crying and come into the house with me or else I shall have homesick like you and begin to cry." They both went into the house and that ended "Homesick."* Here he was raised and on July 8th, 1817, he was married to Catherine, daughter of Joseph and Barbara (Eby) Schneider. She was born February 12th, 1799, and died September 15th, 1881. Soon after their marriage they moved on their farm, being composed of west half of lot No. 9, German Company's Tract, now occupied by their son, Moses. Here they resided until 1849 when they moved on the farm being composed of west half of lot No. 26, German Company's Tract, now in possession of his sons, Joseph and Menno. Here he built a dam and erected a sawmill and for quite a number of years did a large business in sawing during the spring months. After his sons, Joseph and Menno, were married, he divided his farm into two and gave each one about half, Joseph retaining the part with the old buildings and the sawmill. Here he died, March 19th, 1882, six months after the decease of his wife. They had a family of seven children, viz:

6850 IV SHANTZ, SIMON, was born May 15th, 1818. On March 4th, 1845, he was married to Judith, daughter of Daniel and Susannah (Kenzie) Stauffer. She was born August 1st, 1825, and died January 26th, 1862. He died December 13th, 1893. They

† His brother who settled here in 1806 always spoke well of Waterloo.
* This story Mr. Joseph Shantz related to the writer in the year 1869.

resided in Wilmot Township, near Baden. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

6851 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born April 8th 1846. She is unmarried and resides with her brother on the old homestead.

6852 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born September 28th, 1847. She is married to Jacob Schmitt, a farmer. They reside north of Baden and have a family of one child.

6853 V SHANTZ, JONATHAN S., was born March 16th, 1849. On October 24th, 1876, he was married to Caroline Bingeman. They reside in Winterbourne, Ontario, where he is engaged in the sawing and lumber business. His family is as follows, namely: VI Ida (dead), VI Urias, VI Judith Ann, VI Clayton, VI Lizzie, VI Jonathan, VI Elden, and VI Verna.

6854 V SHANTZ, JOSEPH S., was born February 13th, 1851. On February 13th, 1877, he was married to Nancy Shantz. Some time after their marriage they moved near Hespeler where she died March 13th, 1885. On March 9th, 1887, he was again married to Magdalena Snyder, widow of the late Alfred Simpson. They reside near Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To him and his first wife were born two sons, namely: VI Edwin and VI Simon.

6855 V SHANTZ, MARIA, was born December 3rd, 1852, and died January 11th, 1872.

6856 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born January 4th, 1855, and died of fever.

6857 V SHANTZ, SIMON S., was born October 8th, 1856. He is married to Caroline, daughter of Peter

and Catharine (Nahrgang) Christner. They reside on his father's farm near Haysville, Ontario. To them are born three children, namely: VI Avon, VI VI Melvin Russell, and VI Lynden Lloyd.

6858 V SHANTZ, EZRA S., was born August 7th, 1858. On March 15th, 1888, he was married to Lydia Ann, daughter of Levi and Hester (Snyder) Stauffer. She was born December 14th, 1862. They resided near Haysville, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming until his death which took place May 10th, 1895, leaving a family of four children, namely: VI Winnie, VI Susannah, VI Lorne (dead), and VI Burton.

6859 V SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born April 6th, 1860, and died some time ago.

6860 IV SHANTZ, MOSES, the second son of Joseph and Catharine (Schneider) Shantz, was born August 22nd, 1819. On March 18th, 1849, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob C. and Elizabeth (Cressman) Snider. She was born April 4th, 1840. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm they still possess, his father's farm, being composed of west half of lot No. 9, German Company's Tract. Here they raised a family of twelve children, viz:

6861 V SHANTZ, TILMAN, was born January 8th, 1850. On March 20th, 1871, he was married to Esther, daughter of Benjamin and Magdalena (Shantz) Snyder. After their marriage they moved on the farm now possessed by his brother, Aaron S. Shantz. Here they remained for one year, then, on March 6th, 1872, they moved to Maryborough Township, Wellington County, 4th Concession, near Wallace line. Here they resided until March 6th, 1875, when they moved on the farm they now possess, north-east quarter of lot No. 9, German Company's Tract, about three miles north of the town of Waterloo where he

is engaged as a farmer and breeder of thoroughbred stock. He has been councillor for two years, 1884–5, deputy reeve for six years, 1886–91, and reeve for the year 1892. He always takes an active part in political matters and strongly advocates the platform taken by the Liberals of this province. His family consists of nine children, viz:

6862 VI SHANTZ, HARVEY, born December 30, 1871.

6863 VI SHANTZ, ALVIN H., born February 11, 1873.

6864 VI SHANTZ, ALFRED E., born Dec. 6th, 1874.

6865 VI SHANTZ, URIAS A., born September 26, 1876.

6866 VI SHANTZ, ANGUS M., born July 19th, 1878.

6867 VI SHANTZ, WALTER W., born March 4th, 1880.

6868 VI SHANTZ, ELSIE L., born February 3rd, 1882.

6869 VI SHANTZ, CLEMENTINA, born Sept. 16, 1883.

6870 VI SHANTZ, EZRA ERVINE, born Sept. 11, 1885.

6871 V SHANTZ, AARON, the second son, was born March 3rd, 1851. On February 9th, 1874, he was married to Leah, daughter of Benjamin and Magdalena (Shantz) Snyder. She was born November 27th, 1850. After their marriage they moved on the farm they still occupy, the old "Christian Martin Farm," about one-half mile from the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. They have a family of four children, viz:

6872 VI SHANTZ, HERBERT, born December 6, 1874.

6873 VI SHANTZ, LUCENA, born July 6th, 1876.

6874 VI SHANTZ, EPHRAIM, born December 31, 1877.

6875 VI SHANTZ, SABINA, born October 30th, 1879.

6876 V SHANTZ, MENNO S., the third son, was born October 11th, 1852. On April 12th, 1876, he was married to Lydia, daughter of David and Hannah (Kolb) Bricker. She was born April 17th, 1851. He is a miller by trade but at present he resides in Berlin where he is engaged in the livery business. Their family consists of four children, namely: VI Abner, VI Ada, VI Pearly, and VI Melvin.

6877 V SHANTZ, VERONICA, the eldest daughter, was born September 16th, 1854. On September 23rd, 1873, she was married to Henry Groff and has a family of four children, namely: VI Edward, VI Walter, VI Clara May, and VI Mary Susannah. See Henry Groff's family.

6878 V SHANTZ, FRANKLIN, the fourth son, was born September 14th, 1856. On January 6th, 1884, he was married to Leah, daughter of Abraham and Mary (Eby) Groff. She was born June 11th, 1856. They reside on his father's old place three miles north of the town of Waterloo. Their family consists of five children, namely: VI Anna, VI Albert, VI Ida, VI Abraham, and VI Susannah.

6879 V SHANTZ, AMOS S., the fifth son, was born February 2nd, 1859. On December 2nd, 1885, he was married to Jemima, daughter of Benjamin and Magdalena (Shantz) Snyder. She was born February 23rd, 1864. They reside on the north half of his father's farm adjoining the township of Woolwich. They have three children, namely: VI Aldred, VI Lena, and VI Edna.

6880 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, the second daughter, was born February 15th, 1861. On October 20th, 1891, she was married to Henry B. Eby. They

reside in the town of Berlin and have a family of one son named VI Edwin. See No. 2774.

6881 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born June 8th, 1863. On January 20th, 1882, she was married to Franklin Shuh. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Clayton, VI Mabel, and VI Clarence. See Franklin Shuh's family.

6882 V SHANTZ, LUCINDA, was born April 4th, 1866. She was married to David Hoffer in March, 1890. They reside on a farm near Floradale, Ontario. No family.

6883 V SHANTZ, ALLAN, was born December 14th, 1867. He is unmarried and is engaged in farming on his father's old homestead.

6884 V SHANTZ, EMMA, was born February 5th, 1869. She is unmarried and is at home assisting her mother in her household duties.

6885 V SHANTZ, LYDIA ANN, the youngest in her father's family, was born October 18th, 1874. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

6886 IV SHANTZ, VERONICA, the eldest daughter of Joseph and Catharine (Schneider) Shantz, was born in Waterloo County, March 15th, 1822. On November 14th, 1843, she was married to Joseph Weber. She died September 23rd, 1894. See Joseph Weber's family.

6887 IV SHANTZ, BARBARA, was born August 11th, 1825, and was married to Moses Springer, sheriff for the county of Waterloo. She died October 13th, 1884, leaving a large family. See Moses Springer's family.

6888 IV SHANTZ, MARIA, was born June 17th, 1827. She was married to Isaac B. Shantz and died December 23rd, 1885. See Isaac B. Shantz's family.

6889 IV SHANTZ, JOSEPH, was born May 15th, 1830. On November 6th, 1855, he was married to Catharine Martin who was born November 29th, 1836. Soon after his marriage he moved on his father's farm, north-west of Waterloo, where he was engaged in farming and sawing. Here he resided until his death which took place October 2nd, 1886. To them was born a family of six children, viz:

6890 V SHANTZ, LYDIA, was born March 10th, 1857. She is married to Abraham B. Gingerich. See No. 3200.

6891 V SHANTZ, ISRAEL, was born December 17th, 1858, and died September 29th, 1864.

6892 V SHANTZ, CYRUS, was born January 29th, 1861. He was married, December 5th, 1885, to Susannah Clemmer who was born September 19th, 1860. He resides several miles north-west of the town of Waterloo where he is the owner of a beautiful farm. His family is as follows, namely: VI Milton, VI Lucinda, and VI Nelson.

6893 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born March 4th, 1863. She was married to Samuel M. Weber, March 8th, 1881. They reside near Floradale, Ontario. See Samuel M. Weber's family.

6894 V SHANTZ, JESSE, was born November 8th, 1866. He is married to Magdalena Martin and resides on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one son named VI Angus.

6895 V SHANTZ, MARY ANN, was born October

11th, 1870. She is married to Enoch Martin, a farmer. They reside in Woolwich Township and have one son named VI Cleason.

6896 IV SHANTZ, MENNO S., was born April 16th, 1836. On November 9th, 1858, he was married to Elizabeth Schneider who was born November 29th, 1836, and died January 28th 1893. On December 2nd, 1894, he was again married to Leah Musselman, widow of the late Absalom Martin. She was born May 3rd 1844. After his first marriage he resided on the farm now in possession of Paul M. Martin, his son-in-law, where he resided until 1893, then moved on the old "John Sitler Farm" where he still lives retired. In November, 1874, he was ordained at the David Eby Meeting House as deacon of the Mennonite Church for the Eby, Martin and Conestogo fields of labor, a position which he still holds. To him and his first wife were born eleven children, viz:

6897 V SHANTZ, MARIA, was born September 20th, 1859. She was married to Tilman Martin, March 1st, 1881. See Tilman Martin's family.

6898 V SHANTZ, JOSIAH, was born January 26th, 1881. He is married to Phianna Rudy. They reside on Mr. Abraham Rudy's farm which he has rented. To them are born two children, namely: VI Alvin and VI Elvina.

6999 V SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born May 19th, 1862, and died November 30th, 1863.

6900 V SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born October 15th, 1863. She is home and unmarried.

6901 V SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born January 30th, 1865. She was married to Manasseh Martin March 1st, 1887. They reside on the old "John Sitler Farm." See Manasseh Martin's family.

6902 V SHANTZ, LYDIA ANN, was born March 27th,

1866. She is married to Paul M. Martin. See Paul M. Martin's family.

6903 V SHANTZ, ELIAS S., was born September 11th, 1867. He is married to Catharine Sitler and resides on the farm formerly owned by the late Absalom Martin. His family consists of three children, namely: VI Hannah, VI Menno, and VI Elam.

6904 V SHANTZ, ISRAEL, was born April 6th, 1869. He is married to Leah Baumann and resides on west half of his father's farm. His family consists of one son named VI Cleason.

6905 V SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born February 8th, 1872. She was married to Menno Steckley. They reside in Stanley Township, Huron County, Ontario, near Blake P. O., where he is farming.

6906 V SHANTZ, VELINA, was born March 6th, 1875. She is unmarried and has her home with her father.

6907 V SHANTZ, MENNO, was born August 1st, 1879, and died same day.

6908 II SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN, son of old Jacob Shantz and his second wife, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, near Pottstown, July 11th, 1769. In 1791 he was married to Hannah Paul who was born in the same county, September 10th, 1772, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, July 10th, 1845. In 1810 they with their family and others moved to Canada and settled at Freeport, Ontario, on the farm known as the "Rev. Abraham C. Weber Farm." He died April 7th, 1857. His family consisted of ten children, eight of whom were born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. Their family is as follows:

6909 III SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born September 5th, 1792. In September, 1814, she was married to John C. Schneider and died February 27th, 1854. See John C. Schneider's family.

6910 III SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born May 15th, 1794, and died February 5th, 1857. She was never married.

6211 III SHANTZ, MAGDALENA, was born December 15th, 1795. She was married, March 20th, 1814, to Christian J. Schneider, and died February 8th, 1867. See Christian J. Schneider's family.

6912 III SHANTZ, JACOB, was born August 15th, 1797. On March 2nd, 1824, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Erb) Schneider. She was born June 4th, 1804, and died April 2nd, 1837. After their marriage they settled on lot No. 69, German Company's Tract, about two miles east of Bloomingdale, Ontario, where he died July 21st, 1871.

6913 IV SHANTZ, LYDIA, was born March 1st, 1825. On October 28th, 1845, she was married to Abraham B. Clemmer and died April 15th, 1887. See Nos. 1923 to 1931.

6914 IV SHANTZ, DANIEL, was born March 30th, 1827. On October 29th, 1849, he was married to Esther C. Wismer who was born June 1st, 1826, and died November 20th, 1881. The first year after his marriage he resided in the wash-house on his father's place. The next year (1851) new buildings were erected on farm composed of part of lot No. 69, German Company's Tract, about two miles east of Bloomingdale where he resided many years. At present he resides near Bloomingdale with his daughter, Mary. To him and his wife was born a family as follows, viz:

6915 V SHANTZ, JACOB W., was born September 3rd, 1850. On January 19th, 1873, he was married to Magdalena Cressman. They reside in Maryborough

Township, Wellington County, where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Emanuel (dead), VI Annanias, VI Esther, VI Addison, VI Nathan, VI Emma, VI Fannie, and VI Celina.

6916 V SHANTZ, HENRY W., was born February 16th, 1852. On October 29th, 1876, he was married to Magdalena Baumann. They resided in Maryborough Township where he died August 1st, 1879, leaving two children, namely: VI Hannah and VI Seranus.

6917 V SHANTZ, NOAH W., was born August 10th, 1854. On February 27th, 1876, he was married to Rachel Shantz. They resided at Remus, Michigan, thence moved back to Berlin, Ontario, where she died. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Edmund, VI Elah, VI Daniel, VI Morris, and VI Orvey.

6918 V SHANTZ, SUSANNAH W., was born November 17th, 1856, and died same day.

6919 V SHANTZ, MARY W., was born May 17th, 1858. On April 24th, 1885, she was married to Charles Reichel. They reside about a mile east of Bloomingdale. To them is born the following family: VI Daniel, VI Jacob, VI Charles, VI Allan, and a daughter whose name was not received.

6920 V SHANTZ, DANIEL W., was born April 8th, 1861. He is a cabinet maker by trade and resides in Kalkaska, Michigan, where he is engaged in one of the large factories. He is unmarried.

6921 V SHANTZ, ESTHER W., was born March 26th, 1863. On January 15th, 1882, she was married to Owen H. Baumann. They reside at May City,

Osceola County, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Lucinda, VI Alvin, and VI Luanna.

6922 V SHANTZ, BARBARA W., was born June 16th, 1865. On April 19th, 1885, she was married to Christian Allemang. He has rented Mr. Shantz's farm. To Mr. Allemang is born a family of four children, namely: VI Mary Ann, VI Hannah, VI Albie, and VI Clayton.

6923 V SHANTZ, MENNO W., was born May 26th, 1869. He is unmarried and resides in Woolwich Township where he has his home with Mr. Peter Ziegler.

6924 IV SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born June 12th, 1829. On October 28th, 1851, she was married to Moses C. Snyder who died August 30th, 1871. See Moses C. Snyder's family.

6925 IV SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born June 2nd, 1831. On November 19th, 1850, she was married to Elias Martin. They reside on old Daniel Good's place near the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. See Elias Martin's family.

6926 IV SHANTZ, RACHEL, was born July 19th, 1833. On December 11th, 1853, she was married to Elias Eby. They reside near Elmira. See Nos. 2396 to 2408.

6927 IV SHANTZ, ABRAHAM, was born September 24th, 1835, and died June 16th, 1837.

6928 III SHANTZ, DAVID, was born July 10th, 1802. On January 8th, 1828, he was married to Sarah,

daughter of Abraham and Veronica (Shantz) Biehn. She was born December 25th, 1811, and died June 6th, 1889. They resided in Plattsville, Oxford County, Ontario, where he died June 27th, 1873. To them was born a large family, viz:

6929 IV SHANTZ, RACHEL, was born July 15th, 1828. She is married to John B. Cassel. See Nos. 1559 to 1563.

6930 IV SHANTZ, VERONICA, was born November 11th, 1830. She was married to Jacob Myers. See Jacob Myers' family.

6931 IV SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born March 17th, 1834. She is married to David Wismer, a sawmiller. They reside in Plattsville, Ontario, and have a family of eight children, namely: V Eliza, V Isaac, V Cyrus, V Benjamin, V Mary Ann, V Leah, V Sarah E., and V Phoebe.

6932 IV SHANTZ, JACOB B., was born July 28th, 1836, and was accidentally killed while engaged in the Plattsville flax mills, December 5th, 1866. He was not married.

6933 IV SHANTZ, BENJAMIN B., was born September 30th, 1838. He is married to Jane Colins and resides at Correctionville, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born the following family, namely: V Phoebe, V Maggie, V Minnie, V Oscar, V Benjamin, V Laomia, and a son whose name was not received.

6934 IV SHANTZ, SARAH, was born January 3rd, 1841. She was married to Samuel Myers and died at Langdon, North Dakota, April 30th, 1894. See Samuel Myers' family.

6935 IV SHANTZ, MARY, was born April 2nd, 1843.

She was married to John Shutt. They resided in Wisconsin, U. S., where she died February 22nd, 1868, leaving no family.

6936 IV SHANTZ, PHOEBE, was born June 7th, 1845. She is married to Henry Shannon. They reside at Watford, Ontario, and have a family of four sons, namely: V Elden, V Arthur, V Albert, and V Henry.

6937 IV SHANTZ, ABRAHAM B., was born April 16th, 1847. He is married and resides in California, U. S. His family consists of three children.

6938 IV SHANTZ, ISAAC B., was born August 30th, 1849, and resides at Fort Dodge, Iowa, where he is engaged in an oatmeal mill. He is married and has a family.

6939 IV SHANTZ, HIRAM B., was born November 21st, 1851. He resides at Sheldon, Iowa. No in formation in regard to wife nor family.

6940 IV SHANTZ, DAVID B., was born June 2nd, 1856. He is married and has a family of three children. His home is in Correctionville, Iowa, where he is engaged in the hardware business.

6941 IV SHANTZ, HENRY B., was born May 21st, 1859. He is an artist and resides in Chicago, Illinois, where he is doing a well-paying business. He is not married.

6942 III SHANTZ, HENRY, the second youngest son of Christian and Hannah (Paul) Shantz, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, November 3rd, 1804. In 1810 he came to Canada with his parents and spent his boyhood days on his father's farm on the west side of the Grand River at the Toll Bridge (Freeport). On September 23rd, 1828, he was married

to Lydia, daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin. She was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 2nd, 1810, and came to Canada when nine years old (1819). In 1829 they moved to North Dumfries Township, about two miles south of Roseville, where they resided until his death which took place October 4th, 1877. He was a minister of the Mennonite Church for a number of years and later on he was ordained bishop which position he filled with honor unto his end. He had a family of ten children, viz:

6943 IV SHANTZ, PETER, the eldest, was born August 7th, 1829. On October 4th, 1853, he was married to Elizabeth Martin. They own a beautiful farm in Woolwich Township, about four miles northwest of the town of Waterloo. They have no family.

6944 IV SHANTZ, MARY, was born April 15th, 1832. She was married to John Cressman, November 16th, 1852. See Nos. 2167 to 2171.

6945 IV SHANTZ, REBECCA, was born January 24th, 1835. On October 7th, 1856, she was married to Martin Baumann. They reside on lot No. 27, German Company's Tract. See Nos. 195 to 205. (The mother, old Mrs. Henry Shantz, has her home with Rebecca.)

6946 IV SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born June 10th, 1837, and died March 15th, 1891. On May 13th, 1856, she was married to Christian Rosenberger. See Christian Rosenberger's family.

6947 IV SHANTZ, NANCY, was born October 11th, 1839. On October 11th, 1859, she was married to Benjamin Rosenberger. See Benjamin Rosenberger's family.

6248 IV SHANTZ, ELIZABETH, was born March

15th, 1842. On February 9th, 1864, she was married to Enos Cressman. See No. 2130.

6949 IV SHANTZ, DAVID, was born May 29th, 1845. He was married to Susannah Detweiler, November 16th, 1869. They reside near Strasburg where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of nine children, namely: V Lydia, V Rudolph, V Albert, V Elmer, V Susannah (dead), V Henry, V Maria, V Minerva (dead), and V Elvina.

6950 IV SHANTZ, LYDIA, was born August 31st, 1848. On January 11th, 1872, she was married to Henry Stoeckle. They live on a large farm near Strasburg and have a family of thirteen children, namely: V Hettie, married to Jacob Snyder, V Annie, V Lydia, V Abraham, V Noah and V Malinda (twins), V Lucinda, V Maria, V Ada, V Emma, V Henry, V John, and V Edna.

6951 IV SHANTZ, HENRY, was born October 7th, 1851. On February 9th, 1875, he was married to Veronica Martin. They reside in North Dumfries Township, about two miles from Roseville. Their family consists of six children, namely: V Mary, V Levi, V Noah, V Lydia, V Menno, and V Amos.

6952 IV SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN, was born February 7th, 1856. He was married to Magdalena Shupe, November 13th, 1877. He is a minister of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ denomination and at present is stationed at Port Elgin, Bruce County, Ontario. Their family consists of six children, namely: V Minerva, V Somanda, V Melvina, V Sidney, V Alda, and V Alvin Lloyd.

6953 III SHANTZ, SUSANNAH, was born January 24th, 1807. She was married to Samuel Martin and

died in Woolwich Township, May 16th, 1881. See Samuel Martin's family.

6954 III SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born June 13th, 1809, and died May 20th, 1834. She was not married.

6955 III SHANTZ, BENJAMIN, was born September 21st, 1811. He was married to Lydia Kolb who was born May 13th, 1814. After his marriage he moved on his father's farm at Freeport, Ontario. In 1853 they moved to Saugeen, Bruce County, Ontario, where she died November 9th, 1862. After the decease of his first wife he was married to Margaret Swinton who was born July 5th, 1840. In 1864 or 1865 Mr. Shantz moved to Montgomery County, Missouri, thence to Dallas County, same state, where he died November 9th, 1868, leaving a family of the following children, viz:

6956 IV SHANTZ, JOSIAH K., was born December 5th, 1834. He is married to Nancy Kolb. They reside at Peabody, Kansas, where he is engaged in farming. To them was born the following family, namely: V Eliza, V Benjamin, V Abraham, V Elo and V Loreno (twins).

6957 IV SHANTZ, CATHARINE, was born May 17th, 1836. She is married to Rev. Solomon Eby. They reside at Bethel, Ontario. See No. 2715.

6958 IV SHANTZ, HANNAH, was born April 1st, 1838, and died August 2nd, 1841.

6959 IV SHANTZ, CHRISTIAN, was born January 20th, 1840. He is married to Mary Hutchinson. They reside near Witaskewin Railroad, St. of C. P., and their post office is Battle River, Alberta. He follows farming and stock raising. His family is as follows, namely: V James, V Josiah, V Christian, V John (dead), V Benjamin, V Jacob, V John

(dead), V Susan, V Lydia, V William, V George, and V Walter.

6960 IV SHANTZ, TOBIAS K., was born April 10th, 1842. He is married to Mary Moyer. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as a book agent. His family consists of eight children, namely: V Orpheus M., born May 24th, 1864, is engaged as receiving clerk with Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., retail dry goods dealers, Corner State and Washington Streets, Chicago, Illinois. He was married, January 30th, 1889, to Cornelia, daughter of Samuel A. and Melvina D. Flagler of Ottumwa, Iowa, and has a family of one daughter named VI Ruth, born September 30th, 1892, at Morton Park, Illinois. V Etta, V Sophia, V Austin, V Franklin, V Arthur, V Florence, and V Herbert.

6961 IV SHANTZ, ABRAHAM K., was born September 20th, 1844. He is married to Mary Ankony and resides at Colorado City, Colorado, where he works with the carpenters. His family is as follows, namely: V Homer Roy and V Luella Jane.

6962 IV SHANTZ, BENJAMIN K., was born December 5th, 1846. He is married to Mary Eby and resides at Port Elgin, Ontario, where he is engaged as a carpenter and builder. His family is as follows, namely: V Oscar, V Martha, V Franklin, V Noah (dead), V Herbert, V Luella, V Allan, and V Edna.

6963 IV SHANTZ, MENNO K., was born January 31st, 1849, and died July 6th, 1888. He was not married.

6964 IV SHANTZ, LYDIA K., was born August 17th, 1851. She is married to Amos W. Snyder, a farmer. They reside at Bloomingdale. See Amos W. Snyder's family.

6965 IV SHANTZ, SARAH K., was born April 1st, 1854. She was married to Henry S. Snider. They resided at Bloomingdale where she died April 10th, 1878. See Henry S. Snider's family.

6966 IV SHANTZ, ENOCH K., was born October 7th, 1856. He was a carpenter by trade and died, unmarried, May 25th, 1888.

6967 IV SHANTZ, JACOB S., was born December 23rd, 1863, and died July 16th, 1865.

6968 IV SHANTZ, ISRAEL S., was born July 8th, 1865. He resides at New Buffalo, Missouri, where he is engaged as county clerk. He is married to Bella Miller and has a family of two children, a boy and a girl whose names were not received.

6969 IV SHANTZ, ISAAC S., was born February 17th, 1867. He resides at Long-lane, Missouri, where he is engaged as farmer and agent. He is not married.

6970 IV SHANTZ, REBECCA S., was born October 9th, 1868. She resides at Long-lane, Missouri, where she is engaged as teacher. She is not married.

6971 III SHANTZ, REBECCA, the youngest daughter of old Christian and Hannah (Paul) Shantz, was born March 3rd, 1815. She was married to David Martin. They resided south of St. Jacobs where she died June 23rd, 1876. See Deacon David Martin's family.

SHELLY.

The Shellys are of English descent and originally belonged to the Non-conformists who were subjected to so many trials and privations during the Stuart Period that many of their number left their native home (England) and emigrated to Holland, while others went to the Palatinate and Switzerland where they could serve God according to their views of the teaching of the Bible. Among the number who thus came to Switzerland in 1657 we find the name of "Shelly" whose given name was not received. He resided the remainder of his life in the land of his adoption where he died leaving a family. We know the name of only one of the sons, namely: II Abraham who was married to a Swiss lady and raised quite a family, all of whom lived and died in Switzerland save his youngest son, also named III Abraham who was born about the year 1703 and came to America in 1727 or 1730, and settled in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, in 1734, where he purchased a large tract of land from the government. To whom he was married and the number of children in his family cannot be ascertained at so late a date. We know that one of his sons was named IV Abraham and that he was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, about the year 1736. He was married and raised a family of several children, all of whom settled in their native state. One of the sons was named V Abraham. He was born about the year 1757. About the year 1779 he was married to Catharine Boyer.† Some time after their marriage they left their native county and moved west to Butler County, same state, where he followed farming. He died, aged some eighty years, leaving a family of eight children, viz:

6972 VI SHELLY, CATHARINE, the eldest, was married to Christopher Ziegler, a farmer. They resided in Beaver County, Pennsylvania. To them were born several children.

† It is not certain that her name was Boyer, one of the descendants is under the impression that it was Beyer.

6973 VI SHELLY, ANNA,* was married to John Henshoe, a farmer. They resided in Butler County, Pennsylvania, and had a large family.

6974 VI SHELLY, BARBARA, was married to Abraham Shelly, a farmer. They resided in Butler County, Pennsylvania, and had quite a family.

6975 VI SHELLY, HANNAH, was married to John Schneider, a farmer. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they raised a family.

6976 VI SHELLY, HENRY, a farmer, was married to a Miss Landis. They resided in Beaver County, Pennsylvania, and had a family of several children.

6977 VI SHELLY, DAVID, was married to a Miss Clemmer. They resided in Harmony, Butler County, where he was engaged in farming. They raised a family but none of their descendants reside in Canada.

6978 VI SHELLY, JESSE, left home when about 21 years of age. It is supposed he went west and settled in Ohio. All trace of him is lost.

6979 VI SHELLY, SAMUEL, was born in Butler County, Pennsylvania, in 1793. He was married to Polly Bechtel who was born in 1798 and died in 1871. She was a cousin to the Rev. Joseph Bechtel of this county (See No. 645). He followed farming. They resided on his father's old homestead in Butler County where he died in 1825. To them was born a family of four children, viz:

6980 VII SHELLY, ANNIE MARIA, was born in Harmony, Butler County, Pennsylvania, May 29th, 1819. On May 24th, 1836, she married to David Stauffer. See David Stauffer's family.

* Not quite certain whether it was Anna.

6981 VII SHELLY, AMOS, was born in Butler County, Pennsylvania, April 15th, 1821. On May 1st, 1850, he was married to Salome H. Cook who was born July 24th, 1831. For many years they resided on the farm owned until lately by Andrew Weber where he was engaged in farming. From here they moved to Berlin where he died February 8th, 1877. To them was born the following family, viz:

6982 VIII SHELLY, JOHN, was born March 17th, 1851. He is unmarried and resides with Mr. Andrew Sheifley, near Conestogo.

6983 VIII SHELLY, JACOB C., was born May 24th, 1852. He is a miller by trade and resides in Conestogo, Ontario, where he is engaged in Menno S. Snider's roller mills. He is married to Mary, daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Lehman) Weber of St. Jacobs. His family consists of the following children, namely: IX Clara, IX Cranson, IX Alvin, IX Annette, IX Elsie, IX Sylvia, IX Elmeta, IX Florence, and IX Lester.

6984 VIII SHELLY, SYDNEY, was born September 15th, 1854. He is a miller and is engaged in the Waterloo Union Mills. He is married to Sophia Schaefer and resides in the town of Waterloo. Their family is as follows, namely: IX Lizzie, IX Aurelia, IX William, IX Agnes, IX Elma, IX Norman, IX Edward (dead), and IX Oliver.

6985 VIII SHELLY, ABRAHAM, was born July 26th, 1856. He is a builder and contractor and resides in Brooklyn, New York, where he is married to Catharine Branderobe. They have no family.

6986 VIII SHELLY, SAMUEL, was born August 29th, 1858. He is married to Anstina Seefeldt and resides at Conestogo where he is engaged in farming.

Their family is as follows, namely: IX Odo (dead), IX Luella, IX Nelta and IX Nelson (twins).

6987 VIII SHELLY, MARIA, was born August 25th, 1860. She is unmarried and resides with her brother, Sydney.

6988 VIII SHELLY, DAVID, was born August 31st, 1862. He is married to Lena Mayer and resides in Bridgeport where he is engaged as miller in the Lancaster Roller Mills. His family is as follows, namely: IX Ella, IX Alice, IX Mabel, IX Angeline, and IX Minerva.

6989 VIII SHELLY, PHILIP, was born October 17th, 1864. He is a contractor and builder and resides in Brooklyn, New York. He is united in matrimony with Lizzie Anhauer and has a family of four children, namely: IX Amos Ruby, IX David, IX Leander, and IX Walter.

6990 VIII SHELLY, JOSEPH, was born September 5th, 1866. He is unmarried and is engaged with Solomon Sheifley near Conestogo.

6991 VIII SHELLY, EZRA, was born March 22nd, 1869. He is a builder and contractor and resides in Brooklyn, New York. He is unmarried.

6992 VIII SHELLY, LILLIE, was born May 15th, 1876. She is unmarried and resides with her mother† in Port Elgin, Ontario.

6993 IX SHELLY, EMMA, was born April 17th, 1879. She has her home with Mr. Jacob Shelly of Conestogo, Ontario.

6994 VII SHELLY, JOHN, was born in 1823. He is

† The widow of Mr. Amos Shelly is again married to Mr. Anthony Haupner.

married to Elizabeth Schwartz and resides in Harmony, Butler County, Pennsylvania, where he was engaged as a cooper but now lives retired. They have no family.

6995 VII SHELLY, ELIZABETH, was born in 1825. She resides in Beaver County, Pennsylvania and was married to Nicolaus Texter who died in fall of 1894. To them was born a large family but names of children were not received.

SHOEMAKER.

(Formerly spelled Schuhmacher)

6996 I SHOEMAKER, JACOB, the old progenitor, was born in Canton, Berne, Switzerland, and when a lad of twelve years of age he, in company with his parents and others, moved to Pfaltz, Germany, where they, with other co-religionists, were promised freedom to worship the God of their fathers according to their views of the Bible. After residing here some twenty years they were subjected to the same persecutions as they were in Switzerland. Owing to the continual persecutions by the state party for not conforming to the church of the state, the old progenitor after the decease of his parents turned his face towards America, to which place he emigrated, for he had full confidence in the proclamations of William Penn who had proclaimed that all could worship the God of their fathers according to their views of the teaching of His Word and the dictates of their conscience. Such privileges our worthy ancester, Jacob Shoemaker, considered a complete recompense for all his losses and privations in forsaking his friends, acquaintances, and native home. In May, 1737, he landed at Philadelphia and settled for

a few years in Germantown. In spring, 1743, he moved to Lower Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. All attempts made to ascertain his exact date of birth, to whom he was married and when he died proved fruitless owing to the fact that the family Bible, together with other records, were burnt with the house in which his son resided. Tradition has it that he was married to Mary Kunder and that he was about seventy-five years of age when he died and that his death took place some time during the year 1751,† consequently he must have been born in the year 1676, and was therefore 61 years of age when he came to America. He had a numerous family but all, save four sons died in infancy. The names of these were II Peter, II Jacob, II George, and II John.

6997 II SHOEMAKER, JACOB, the second eldest son of the old progenitor, was born in Pfaltz, Germany, March 31st, 1708. He was twenty-nine years of age when he, in company with his parents and the rest of the family came to America. After being in America for a year or so he formed an acquaintance with Susannah Schueler to whom he was married in the year 1740. She was born in Basle, Switzerland, February 19th, 1719, and died November 20th, 1789. They resided in Montgomery County, near Schiebach,† where they had a family of eight children, namely: III Michael, III George, III Gertrude, III Catharine, III Anna, III Elizabeth, III Jacob, and III Mary.

6998 III SHOEMAKER, MICHAEL, was born March 27th, 1742. He was married to Anna Hackman and had a family of six children. They resided in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. He died July 3rd, 1828.

6999 III SHOEMAKER, GEORGE, was born October 1st, 1743. He was married to Barbara Landis and had a family of four children. They resided in

† So the late D. S. Shoemaker of Three Rivers, Michigan, informed the writer that the Progenitor died three years before his grandfather was born which was in 1754.

† Now spelled Skippack.

Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where he died October 5th, 1821.

7000 III SHOEMAKER, GERTRUDE, was born August 12th, 1745. She was married to Christian Schmidt and died February 7th, 1817. No information in regard to family, nor where they resided.

7001 III SHOEMAKER, CATHARINE, was born May 11th, 1747, and was married to Conrad Eshback. No information could be had of this family. They resided for a time in Montgomery County, thence moved to Philadelphia. She died November 13th, 1801.

7002 III SHOEMAKER, ELIZABETH, was born September 12th, 1751, and was married to Daniel Springer. They had a family but could not ascertain where they resided. She died September 26th, 1823.

7003 III SHOEMAKER, MARY, was born September 5th, 1760, and was married to Bernard Freyer. They resided in Montgomery County and had a family of seven children. She died December 3rd, 1842.

7004 III SHOEMAKER, JACOB, the seventh child of Jacob Shoemaker, was born in Lower Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, July 27th, 1754. He was married to Mary Tyson who was born April 7th, 1752, and died July 12th, 1803. In the year 1775 they moved to Frederick Township, Montgomery County, where he was engaged in farming and milling. His old mill, erected in 1737 on Swamp Creek, is still known as "'S Schuhmacher's Muehl" (Shoemaker's Mills). They had a family of five children, namely: IV John, IV George, IV Jacob, IV Elizabeth, and IV Mary. After the decease of old Jacob's wife he was again married to Magdalena Longenecker, widow of Isaac Urmy. Dates of her birth and death could not be

ascertained. There was no issue of this marriage. After the decease of his second wife he made his home with his son, John, who resided on the old homestead. A year after the decease of his son, John, who died in January, 1828, he, in company with his son John's wife and three youngest children, and also his daughter, Mary, and her husband, George Bechtel, and family, moved to Canada. They first came to Waterloo to his grandson, Jacob S. Shoemaker. For some time old Jacob had his home with his son John's widow and his daughter, Mary, but after Jacob S. Shoemaker, his grandson, had his house built in Bridgeport, he made his home with him where he died November 19th, 1847, aged 93 years, 3 months, and 22 days. He was buried at the Mennonite burial ground, east end of the town of Berlin. He was a member of the Mennonite body.

7005 IV SHOEMAKER, JOHN, the eldest son, was born in Frederick Township,† Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, May 12th, 1775. He spent his boyhood days on his father's farm and during the busy times he assisted his father in the mill. On May 2nd, 1797 he was married to Mary Shantz* who was born March 13th, 1775, and died April 6th, 1866, aged 91 years and 23 days. They commenced farming on his father's old place where they resided until his death. They had a family of nine children, of whom two died young. During the year 1827 he met with an accident which ultimately brought on dropsy and other diseases causing his death which took place January 30th, 1828.

7006 V SHOEMAKER, JACOB S., the eldest of John Shoemaker's children, was born April 24th, 1798. He, after quitting school, entered his father's mill where he was engaged until 1820 when he became desirous to seek his fortune in the then much-spoken-of Canada. He came to Abraham Erb, Waterloo, some time during the spring of 1820. He, being a practical miller, and just the man required to manage the grist mill of this place, remained in Abraham Erb's service as miller for nearly two

† All the children of old Jacob were born in this township.
* See old Isaac Shantz's family record.

years when he and William Hunsberger returned to Pennsylvania to visit their parents and friends. After making a sojourn of a few months they returned the same spring. Mr. Shoemaker again assumed the management of the Waterloo mills. On July 2nd, 1822, he was married to Elizabeth Schneider† who was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, January 2nd, 1802, and died in Preston, November 26th, 1876. Some time after their marriage he and his wife went home to Pennsylvania on a visit. During this visit he ordered the large clock, now in possession of his daughter, Elizabeth. His father brought it with him when he paid a visit to Canada in 1826. Some time during the year 1827 or 1828 he purchased lot No. 59, German Company's Tract, and afterwards became the founder of Bridgeport. In 1829 he constructed the large dam and erected the sawmills still standing. In 1830 he erected the large roller mills now in possession of Messrs Shirk and Snider. He resided in the town of Waterloo until 1830 when he moved to Bridgeport. Here he soon became proprietor, besides the extensive mills and sawmills, of a store, woollen mills and distillery. In 1840 he built the large house now possessed by Mrs. Veronica Horst. During the great financial depression all over the province in 1851, besides other difficulties never fully investigated, he is said to have failed. He then moved to Preston to his son-in-law, Joel Clemens, from there to Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where he erected a sawmill and did a successful business. His last days were spent with his daughter, Barbara (Mrs. H. Huber of Berlin), where he died March 20th, 1875. Both he and his wife are buried in the Mennonite burial ground at the east end of Berlin. They had a family of eleven children, viz:

7007 VI SHOEMAKER, BARBARA, was born in the town of Waterloo, March 8th, 1824. She was married to the late Henry Huber, July 8th, 1841, and has a family of six children, all of whom are married save Edwin who is still with his mother who resides on Queen Street, next to St. Andrews Church, Berlin.

† See Schneider record for her family history.

7008 VI SHOEMAKER, JOHN S., was born in the town of Waterloo, February 12th, 1825. He is married to Fannie Huber and has a family. They reside at Highgate, Ontario.

7009 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY ANN, was born in the town of Waterloo, November 20th, 1826. She is married to John McNally and resides on a large farm at Blair, Ontario. They have quite a numerous family.

7010 VI SHOEMAKER, MAGDALENA, was born in the town of Waterloo June 6th, 1828. She is married to Joel Clemens and resides near Preston, Ontario. They have had quite a large family but a few of their children died.

7011 VI SHOEMAKER, ELIZABETH, was born in the town of Waterloo, November 8th, 1829. She has been engaged as a teacher in our public schools for a number of years. At present she resides on Queen Street, Berlin, where she possesses some valuable property.

7012 VI SHOEMAKER, JOSEPH, was born in Bridgeport, Ontario, September 28th, 1832, and died July 15th, 1851.

7013 VI SHOEMAKER, ISAAC, was born in Bridgeport, Ontario, January 24th, 1835, and died August 24th, 1856.

7014 VI SHOEMAKER, HANNAH, was born in Bridgeport, Ontario, February 24th, 1838. She was married to the late Casper Hett and has a family of three children, one son who resides in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and two daughters who are with their mother who resides on Queen Street, Berlin, Ontario.

7015 VI SHOEMAKER, JACOB S., was born in Bridgeport, Ontario, March 4th, 1842. He was married to Eliza Hall who died a few years ago. He has had quite a family and the younger of his children stay with him in Berlin where he resides.

7016 VI SHOEMAKER, ISABELLA, was born September 5th, 1845, and died in Bridgeport, March 13th, 1851.

7017 VI SHOEMAKER, SIMON, was born in Bridgeport, August 15th, 1847, and died at the same place March 15th, 1849.

7018 V SHOEMAKER, ISAAC, second son of John Shoemaker, was born in Frederick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, July 11th, 1800, and died April 15th, 1805.

7019 V SHOEMAKER, JOHN S., third son of John Shoemaker, was born January 12th, 1803. He was married to Fanny Sailor. In 1825 he came to Canada with John Bingeman whose team he drove. He returned to Pennsylvania the same fall where he resided until his death which took place February 19th, 1828. He left no family and after his death the widow came to Canada and was afterwards married to John Baumann of the town of Waterloo where they resided until their death.

7020 V SHOEMAKER, BARBARA, the eldest daugh. of John Shoemaker, was born March 21st, 1805. She never came to Canada but lived all her days in Montgomery County. She was married to John Roat who was born July 14th, 1799, and died October 31st, 1869. They had a large family. After her husband's death she had her home with her daughter, Mary, who resided in Pottstown, Pennsylvania, where she died November 12th, 1877.

7021 V SHOEMAKER, MARY, the second daughter of John Shoemaker, was born May 28th, 1808. She

came to Canada in August, 1828. On October 11th, 1829, she was married to Michael Myers who was born August 24th, 1803, and died March 11th, 1879. See Michael Myers' family.

7022 V SHOEMAKER, JOSEPH, was born September 28th, 1810, and died on October 6th, following.

7023 V SHOEMAKER, MAGDALENA, was born November 20th, 1811. In 1829 she came to Canada with her mother and family. On May 1st, 1831, she was married to Barnabas Devitt who was born March 25th, 1807, and died January 20th, 1891. See Barnabas Devitt's family.

7024 V SHOEMAKER, VERONICA, was born February 2nd, 1815, and came to Canada with her mother in 1829. On October 30th, 1831, she was married to Isaac Eby and in November of the same year they moved two miles east of Berlin, on the farm now owned by John Schmitt where they resided until his death, in May, 1874. She then moved to Berlin where she died July 20th, 1894. See Isaac Eby's family.

7025 V SHOEMAKER, DAVID, the youngest child of John Shoemaker, was born January 7th, 1820, and came to Canada with his mother in 1829. His younger days were spent clerking in a store. He carried on business in Bridgeport for some time, thence he moved to Berlin from which place he moved to Three Rivers, Michigan, where he died January 6th, 1891. He was married twice, first to Margaret W. Knickerbocker, August 1st, 1841. She was born October 9th, 1819, and died at Bridgeport, March 18th, 1860. After the decease of his first wife he was married to Elizabeth Louisa Knickerbocker at Schoolcraft, Michigan May 15th, 1864. She was born in Niagara County, New York, December 28th, 1833. After their marriage they moved to Three Rivers, Michigan where he died. The widow is

still residing there with her daughters. With first wife there were eleven children and with second wife four, viz:

7026 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY, was born in Bridgeport, July 18th, 1842, and died November 3rd, 1849.

7027 VI SHOEMAKER, JOHN H., was born July 28th, 1843. In the beginning of the American war he went to Detroit where he enlisted in the Union army and went through the dreadful civil war of the United States from 1861 to 1865. He was first married to Mary Van Nordstrand, August 12th, 1862. She died May 13th, 1863. He was again married to Wilhelmine Anna Land, May 15th, 1877, at Dalton, Georgia, U. S. He now resides at Niles, Michigan, and has a small family.

7028 VI SHOEMAKER, DAVID C., was born January 13th, 1845. He resides in Toronto, Ontario, and is a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railway. He has a wife, name not received, and several children.

7029 VI SHOEMAKER, BARNABAS G., was born June 29th, 1846. He was married to Ernestina Aumann, in 1870, and resides in Reid City, Michigan. They have a numerous family.

7030 VI SHOEMAKER, JOHNSON A., was born December 24th, 1847. He was married twice, first to Lizzie Davis who died about a year after their marriage, then to Temperance V. Boucher. They reside in Tennessee, U. S., and have a small family.

7031 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY A., was born November 18th, 1849. After she had received her education she taught school in Bridgeport and other places in Waterloo County. On January 28th, 1875, she was married to John F. Snoor. They reside in Niles, Michigan, and have a small family.

7032 VI SHOEMAKER, MARGARET A., was born May 20th, 1852, and died May 6th, 1853.

7033 VI SHOEMAKER, GEORGIANA E., was born January 22nd, 1854, and died June 1st, 1854.

7034 VI SHOEMAKER, CHARLES P., was born May 5th, 1855. On January 7th, 1877, he was married to Anna Benson. He is a fresco painter and paper hanger by trade. He resides at Three Rivers, Michigan, and has a small family.

7035 VI SHOEMAKER, EMMA N., was born May 23rd, 1857. On April 29th, 1877, she was married to Jerome Rauck. They reside in Three Rivers, Michigan, and have a family of several children.

7036 VI SHOEMAKER, MARGARET W., was born in Bridgeport, March 18th, 1860. On November 29th, 1877, she was married to John W. Wright. They reside in Three Rivers, Michigan.

7037 VI SHOEMAKER, SARAH E., was born June 7th, 1866, and died December 23rd, 1870.

7038 VI SHOEMAKER, CATHARINE M., was born August 29th, 1868.

7039 VI SHOEMAKER, GRACE W., was born September 9th, 1872.

7040 VI SHOEMAKER, ALICE A., was born March 5th, 1874.

7041 IV SHOEMAKER, GEORGE, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, February 6th, 1778. On March 19th, 1799, he was married to Mary Detweiler who was born May 10th, 1775, and died September 22nd, 1850. After he was married he moved in the house situated on the west side of the Swamp Creek, towards the old school house, while his father's residence and the mill were on the east side. Here he was engaged in the woollen mills, carding, fulling and dying wool and yarns. He was a woollen manufacturer by trade. Here he

resided until 1804, thence he moved to Pottstown, on old Isaac Shantz's farm, from there he, with his small family, in 1806 moved to a place where he remained for one year, thence he moved to Skippack where he remained five years. In 1812 he moved to Benjamin Reiff in Lower Salford Township, and afterwards to John Reiff where they resided until spring, 1825, when he with his wife and three sons and a daughter, namely: Jacob and wife, Daniel, Joshua, and Catharine, moved to Canada. They resided for a short time after their arrival here in this county, on old Christian Schneider's farm one mile south of Breslau. In fall of the same year they moved on the farm (lot No. 119, G. C. T.) now possessed by his son, George D. Shoemaker. Here they resided until their death. He died November 24th, 1864. They had a family of ten children, viz:

7042 V SHOEMAKER, JACOB D., the eldest son of George Shoemaker, was born on his grandfather's place near the old mills on Swamp Creek, Frederick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, November 24th, 1799. His boyhood days were spent in assisting his father in the woollen mills, carding and dying wool and yarns. From his fifteenth to his eighteenth year he was engaged in the grist and oil mills and during the wool season he assisted his father in the carding mills. When eighteen years of age he hired himself to John Funk who during that time had the misfortune of having his dwelling destroyed by fire, Shoemaker losing all his earthly possessions except the clothing he wore at the time. After quitting at John Funk's in the fall of 1818, he obtained work for a short time in a tannery near Pottsgrove. In spring of 1819 he attended school for six weeks in Lower Salford Township, Montgomery County. During the summer he labored for six months with David Allebach, in Skippack Township, at $12 per month. He paid out of his wages $50 annually to his parents until he became of age. After having served his six months he attended school another six weeks in Lower Salford Township. His teacher's name was Mr. Borsch. This then finished his school days. In 1820 he engaged himself to Abraham Clemens where he remained for

two years, receiving $80 for the first year's wages and $72 for the second year. During the year 1722 he worked for George Reiff of Skippack Township, for $80 per year. The following year he spent in working by the day among the farmers. On November 18th, 1823, he was married to Jane, daughter of Alexander Dunbar. She was raised by Jacob Merkley who resided on the Perkiomen Creek, Skippack Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. In spring of 1824 he, in company with his wife moved to Joseph Lowery in Skippack whose farm he managed for five years. He received one-third of the product of the farm as wages for his labor and management. The annual income thus derived generally amounted to about $80. In 1829 they with their family of two children, his parents, and two of his brothers and one sister, namely, Daniel, Joshua and Catharine, moved to Canada and came to what is now Bridgeport. Here he was engaged with Jacob S. Shoemaker who had come to Canada in 1820. During the fall of 1829 he worked on the saw-mills erected the same year. While engaged here he purchased pine logs from Henry Erb who resided on lot No. 58, German Company's Tract, and had them sawed during the winter and drawn on his farm where he had a small shanty put up. Into this shanty they moved in April, 1830. The year previously he had purchased his farm, being south-west half of lot No. 19, German Company's Tract, containing 224 acres. During his first year on this extensive farm large clearings were made and a two-story log dwelling, 24x28 feet, erected. The log barn was erected the year following. In 1851 he erected the stone dwelling now occupied by his son, Alexander, and in 1842 he put up the large frame barn still standing. He is still living and enjoying good health and has his home with his son, Alexander who resides on the old homestead. His family consisted of ten children, of whom two died in infancy. Their names are as follows:

7043 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY ANN, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, November 7th, 1824. She came to Canada when in her fifth year.

She has left one heir, Reuben Bowman who was born August 3rd, 1852, and is married to Louisa Geiger. They reside in Berlin, Ontario. She died July 28th, 1876.

7044 VI SHOEMAKER, DAVID, was born January 31st, 1827, and died October 15th, same year.

7045 VI SHOEMAKER, ELIZABETH, was born October 12th, 1828, and died April 4th, 1854. She was married to John Schiedel February 27th, 1853, and had one child named Mary Ann who was born March 13th, 1854, and died at her grandfather Shoemaker's place, August 5th, 1860.

7046 VI SHOEMAKER, MARTHA, was born June 9th, 1831. She was married to Henry McKay, April 9th, 1855. They reside in Aldborough Township, Elgin County, where he is engaged in farming. They had a family of nine children, of whom one is dead. Their names are as follows:

VII JACOB was born January 30th, 1856, He is unmarried and resides at home with his parents.

VII JANE was born February 20th, 1858. She was married to George Nash, May 25th, 1885. They have one daughter named Catharine. They reside in Mosa Township, Middlesex County, Ontario.

VII HANNAH was born July 1st, 1860. She was married to John Hillman, September 2nd, 1879. They have a family of five children, namely: Henry Arthur, William, Martha Ann, Ollie, and Jane Pearl.

VII JOSIAH was born September 29th, 1862. On December 30th, 1885, he was married to Libbie Pool. Their family consists of six children, namely: Edgar, Charles, Henry, Alfred, Mary, and Martha Luella.

VII MARTHA was born September 30th, 1865. She is married to Charles LeFevre, March 27th, 1887. They have no family.

VII LOVINA was born August 8th, 1867. She was married to James Lindsay, March 17th, 1891. They have a son named George Henry.

VII MARY ANN was born November 15th, 1869. She was married to William Brendley, April 21st, 1891. They have one son named Henry.

VII EZRA was born December 25th, 1871, and died same day.

VII HENRY was born February 21st, 1874. He is at home with his father whom he assists in working the large farm.

7047 VI SHOEMAKER, GEORGE D., was born Feb-11th, 1834. On March 15th, 1857, he was married to Magdalena Snyder. They reside in Woolwich Township, along the Pilkington line, where they possess a large farm. Here they raised a family of eight children, viz:

7048 VII SHOEMAKER, BENJAMIN S., was born December 4th, 1857. On November 2nd, 1879, he was married to Lydia Brocks. He resides on a farm in Pilkington Township, Wellington County, adjoining Woolwich Township. Their family consists of seven children, namely: VIII Jacob (dead), VIII Mary Jane, VIII Catharine, VIII Malissa, VIII Emma, VIII Lydia Ann, and VIII William.

7049 VII SHOEMAKER, JACOB S., was born June 15th, 1859. He was married to Barbara Wideman, March 5th, 1882. They reside in Pilkington Township, near the Grand River. Their children are

VIII William, VIII Milven, VIII Addison, and VIII George.

7050 VII SHOEMAKER, JOSEPH, was born February 17th, 1862. He was married to Eliza Burkhard, March 14th, 1886. They reside in Pilkington Township, and have a family of one son named VIII Israel.

7051 VII SHOEMAKER, JANE, was born June 30th, 1865. She is not married.

7052 VII SHOEMAKER, NOAH, was born March 27th, 1867. He was married to Sarah Burkhard, February 1st, 1891. They have one son named VIII Ervin.

7053 VII SHOEMAKER, EPHRAIM, was born April 7th, 1869. On November 29th, 1892, he was married to Veronica Wideman. They reside in Pilkington Township, Wellington County.

7054 VII SHOEMAKER, CATHARINE, was born December 10th, 1871. She is not married.

7055 VII SHOEMAKER, RACHEL, was born October 20th, 1873. She is unmarried.

7056 VI SHOEMAKER, ALEXANDER, was born February 21st, 1836. On October 13th, 1861, he was married to Susannah Weber. Soon after his marriage they moved home on his father's farm where he has been a successful farmer ever since. He has held the office of school trustee and councillor for several years. Names of children are as follows:

7057 VII SHOEMAKER, ELLEN, born August 5, 1862.

7058 VII SHOEMAKER, JOSIAH, born Oct. 29, 1863.

7059 VII SHOEMAKER, MATILDA, born April 1st, 1865.

7060 VII SHOEMAKER, SUSANNAH, born September 10th, 1866.

7061 VII SHOEMAKER, LOUISA, born July 5th, 1868.

7062 VII SHOEMAKER, MALINDA, was born August 4th, 1870. On March 2nd, 1892, she was married to Charles E. Lips. They reside on the old "Dennis Devitt Farm" four miles west of Berlin, on the Petersburg Road.

7063 VII SHOEMAKER, DAVID, born January 29th, 1872, died February 19th, 1872.

7064 VII SHOEMAKER, ANGELINE, born March 31st, 1873.

7065 VII SHOEMAKER, EDWIN, born April 1st, 1875, died September 10th, 1875.

7066 VII SHOEMAKER, LYDIA ANN, born June 5th, 1878.

7067 VII SHOEMAKER, LOVINA, born February 4th, 1880, died March 5th, 1880.

7068 VII SHOEMAKER, IRWIN, born March 20th, 1882.

7069 VII SHOEMAKER, EDITH, twin to Irwin, born March 20th, 1882.

7070 VI SHOEMAKER, NAOMI, was born June 2nd, 1838. On April 12th, 1857, she was married to Joseph B. Snyder. They reside on a large farm situated in Woolwich Township, a little south of Winterbourne, They have a family of five children, viz:

VII NELSON was born February 24th, 1858. On April 11th, 1882, he was married to Leah Snyder. They reside in Woolwich Township, on the west bank of the Grand River, and have a family of three children, namely: Emma, Orval, and Edna.

VII ALLAN was born May 3rd, 1860, and died on his farm near Bridgeport, March 7th, 1891. He was married to Rebecca Brubacher, March 10th, 1886. They had a family of four children, namely: Ella, Emma, Newton, and Allan.

VII JANE was born September 16th, 1863.

VII NORMAN was born April 24th, 1872.

VII MALINDA was born August 7th, 1875.

7071 VI SHOEMAKER, JANE, was born December 30th, 1840, and died of typhoid fever August 20th, 1860.

7072 VI SHOEMAKER, MAGDALENA, was born January 16th, 1844. On August 13th, 1867, she was married to George Israel. They reside on the old "Henry Woods Farm" near Williamsburg. Their family consists of seven children, of whom one is dead.

VII URIAS was born February 18th, 1869. On March 21st, 1894, he was married to Catharine Hillgardner.

VII SARAH was born July 21st, 1870. On January 28th, 1891, she was married to Jacob Schaefer. They have two children, namely: Freda Pricilla, and Beatrice.

VII JANE was born June 5th, 1873. On January 25th, 1893, she was married to Edward Liebler. They have one son named George Henry.

VII MATILDA was born May 5th, 1875, and died November 20th, 1880.

VII LIZZIE was born September 17th, 1876.

VII ALBERTA was born November 16th, 1880.

VII EMMA was born April 7th, 1886.

7073 VI SHOEMAKER, JACOB, twin brother to Magdalena, was born January 16th, 1844, and died on the 21st day of same month.

7074 V SHOEMAKER, JOHN, second son of George Shoemaker, was born in the old Shoemaker residence situated on the north side of the Swamp Creek, near the old carding and fulling mills, in Frederick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, December 26th, 1800. He learned the shoemaking trade with Abraham Harley of Towamencin. On October 12th, 1823, he was married to Catharine, daughter of Henry and Mary (Heller) Fried. She was raised by old Jacob Clemens. After they were married they moved to George Clemens' in Lower Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. On May 10th, 1825, he, with his wife and son Jacob, his brother George, Jacob and George Clemens and their families, Charles Mohr, Martin Schiedel, Henry Clemmer and family, Henry Moyer and family, Jacob Kolb, and others, left for Canada and arrived at Preston on the 1st of June following. John Shoemaker moved on the farm known as "Bill Moyer's Place," near Berlin, now possessed by Isadore B. Snyder. Here they lived for two years then they moved on west side of Jacob Y. Shantz's saw mill pond, in Joseph Eby's house. This house was previously occupied by Henry Clemmer who had moved to Preston. On February 20th, 1829, they left here and moved on their farm one mile north of Breslau. Here he still resides with his son, George F. On this farm, lot No. 107, Horning's Tract, there were several acres cleared and a small log house erected in fall of 1828. The old house was about 150 yards south-east from the

present residence. Here they raised a family of eight children. She died December 25th, 1879. Names of children are as follows:

7075 VI SHOEMAKER, JACOB F., was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, September 13th, 1824. He is married to Veronica Schneider and resides in Woolwich Township, about two miles north-east of Winterbourne. He is a farmer by occupation. They have a family of seven children, viz:

7076 VII SHOEMAKER, DILMAN, died when about 14 years of age.

7077 VII SHOEMAKER, MENNO, was married to Miss M. Brothers. He is a mason by trade and resides in Wallace Township, Perth County, Ontario.

7078 VII SHOEMAKER, ALBERT, twin brother to Menno, is married to a Miss Bowman and resides near Brown City, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

7079 VII SHOEMAKER, AMOS, is married to Annie Heibein and resides at home with his father where he is engaged in farming.

7080 VII SHOEMAKER, MATILDA, is married to David Letson. They reside in Winterbourne, Ontario.

7081 VII SHOEMAKER, CATHARINE, is married to G. Suck. They reside near Winterbourne, Ontario.

7082 VII SHOEMAKER, MARY, is married to a Mr. Letson and resides near Winterbourne, Ontario.

7083 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY, was born June 1st, 1826, and died September 9th, 1828.

7084 VI SHOEMAKER, CATHARINE, was born

December 15th, 1828. She was married to Jacob Gole. See Jacob Gole's family.

7085 VI SHOEMAKER, JOHN F., was born May 24th, 1831. He is a builder and carpenter by trade but the last number of years he has followed farming and owns a beautiful farm adjoining the village of Breslau. He is married to Ann Sherington. Their family consists of eight children, viz:

7086 VII SHOEMAKER, ANGELINE, is married to Enoch Shantz and resides in Walkerton, Bruce County, Ontario.

7087 VII SHOEMAKER, ALFRED, died aged 2 years.

7088 VII SHOEMAKER, RACHEL, is married to Moses Sittler and resides in Latonia, Ohio, U. S.

7089 VII SHOEMAKER, MATHEW, died in infancy.

7090 VII SHOEMAKER, JENNIE, is married to Franklin Wilson and resides in Chatham, Kent County, Ontario.

7091 VII SHOEMAKER, JOHN ADAM, is married to Minnie Michel. At present they reside in New York City, New York, where he is engaged in the button manufacturing business.

7092 VII SHOEMAKER, HARRIET, resides with Mr. Noah Bowman of Conestogo, Ontario. She is not married.

7093 VII SHOEMAKER, MACEY, is unmarried and resides in Chatham, Ontario.

7094 VII SHOEMAKER, ISABELLA, is not married and is with her parents.

7095 VII SHOEMAKER, REUBEN, is on the farm with his father. Not married.

7096 VI SHOEMAKER, ABRAHAM, was born January 24th, 1834. He was a blacksmith by trade and was married to Nancy Kittel. About twenty years ago he moved to Alborough, Elgin County, Ontario, where he died July 5th, 1881. They had a family of twelve children, namely: VII Catharine, VII Mary, VII John, VII Lizzie, VII Lydia, VII Simon, VII Isaac, VII Nancy, VII George, VII Amelia, and two whose names were not received.

7097 VI SHOEMAKER, GEORGE F., was born November 11th, 1835. He is married to Ellen Getz, July 17th, 1859. She was born September 19th, 1841. They reside on the old homestead of his father and have a family of eleven children, viz:

7098 VII SHOEMAKER, SIMON, was born June 3rd, 1860. He is married to Leah Dornbruck and resides in Sanaria, Lambton County, Ontario. He is a miller by trade. They have two children, namely: VIII Violet, and VIII Minnie.

7099 VII SHOEMAKER, NANCY ELLEN, was born February 1st, 1862. She is married to Fred Brown, of the firm of Brown & Erb, manufacturers, etc., Berlin. They reside in Berlin and have one son named VIII Arthur.

7100 VII SHOEMAKER, JOSIAH, was born April 15th, 1864, and died November 18th, 1865.

7101 VII SHOEMAKER, CATHARINE, was born September 9th, 1866, and died of typhoid fever in Toronto, Ontario, October 10th, 1890. She was married to John H. Shantz and left one daughter named VIII Lorah.

7102 VII SHOEMAKER, JERIAH, born June 5, 1869.

7103 VII SHOEMAKER, ALLEN, born Oct. 7, 1871.

7104 VII SHOEMAKER, MALIZZIE, born November 5th, 1872, died December 20th, 1872.

7105 VII SHOEMAKER, BARBARA, was born November 23rd, 1873. She is married to Aaron Shoemaker. They reside on the old "Benjamin E. Eby Farm" two miles east of Berlin. They have one son.

7106 VII SHOEMAKER, ABRAHAM, born December 22nd, 1876.

7107 VII SHOEMAKER, LIZZIE, born Jan. 15, 1879.

7108 VII SHOEMAKER, AUSTIN, born Feb. 18, 1880.

7109 VI SHOEMAKER, ELIZABETH, was born January 15th, 1838. On January 19th, 1873, she was married to August Wülkie who was born July 28th, 1848. They reside in Bloomingdale, Ontario, and have a family of four children, namely: VII John, born November 13th, 1874, VII Simon, born January 11th, 1877, VII Abraham, born November 3rd, 1878, and VII Lizzie, born October 19th, 1880.

7110 VI SHOEMAKER, SARAH, youngest daughter of John D. Shoemaker, was born March 12th, 1840. In 1857 she was married to Isaac Bingeman who was born June 16th, 1834. They resided on Cyrus Erb's farm at Breslau where he died August 21st, 1864. On December 7th, 1867, she was again married to Henry B. Wahl. They reside on a farm two miles north-west of Breslau. With her first husband there were four children and with her second husband there were six children. Their names are as follows:

VII JOHN S., was born September 20th, 1858. On April 9th, 1892 he was married to Frances Louisa

Davidson. They reside in Rochester, New York, where he is engaged in manufacturing ivory and pearl buttons.

VII HANNAH, was born June 22nd, 1860. On November 19th, 1884, she was married to Isidore B. Snyder. They reside on the old "Bill Moyer Farm" near Berlin. Their family consists of four children, namely: John Eldon, Della May, Joseph Leo, and Earl Stanley.

VII LIZZIE, born January 13th, 1862, died October 31st, 1865.

VII CATHARINE, born June 9th, 1864, died November 4th, 1865.

VII SARAH ANN, eldest daughter of second husband, was born September 18th, 1868. She is married to Menno Bechtel. They reside on west end of his father's old homestead.

VII MARIETTA was born September 27th, 1870. She is married to Jesse Martin. They reside on Mrs. Veronica Horst's farm at Bridgeport, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. They have one child.

VII ANGELINE was born September 30th, 1872.

VII HENRY ALLAN, born October 29th, 1876.

VII ANNIE LUCINDA, born February 9th, 1879.

VII SOLOMON ERVINE, born March 1st, 1884.

7111 V SHOEMAKER, MARY, the eldest daughter of George Shoemaker, was born July 30th, 1802. She was married to John Landis who was born June 25th, 1792, and died July 27th, 1856. They had a family of ten children but none of them reside in

Canada. They reside in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where their parents resided until their death. She died September 2nd, 1885.

7112 V SHOEMAKER, GEORGE, the third son of George Shoemaker, was born on the homestead of his grandfather, Jacob Shoemaker, in Frederick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, October 5th, 1803. From 1822 to 1824 he served his apprenticeship as weaver with one William Gratz who resided in Upper Salford Township. After having served his apprenticeship he made his home with Jacob Clemens. In 1825 he, in company with Jacob Clemens and family, Abraham Clemens and family, and others, came to Canada. During the first summer of his sojourn here he followed his trade, weaving. He had his shop at Deacon Abraham Clemens' place a little north of Preston. In fall of the same year he engaged himself to Jacob Clemens who had selected as his home the farm situated on the west side of the Grand River, opposite Breslau, now occupied by Joseph Cressman. Here he was one year. The next five years he spent in "chopping and logging" (clearing land) for various parties within this township. In 1828 he purchased his farm, being part of lot No. 119, German Company's Tract, from old Samuel Bricker (formerly owned by old Hannes Eby), at the following rates, one hundred acres at $3 per acre and thirty-one acres at $2 per acre. On June 8th, 1830, he was married to Anna Shuh who was born December 31st, 1808, and died August 20th, 1895. Soon after their marriage they moved on their farm where he still resides. He is now past 94 years of age. His family consisted of ten children, viz:

7113 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY, was born April 6th, 1832. She is married to Bishop Elias Weber. They reside on the old "Kunneman Farm" one mile west of Breslau and have quite a family, most of whom are married. See Bishop Elias Weber's family.

7114 VI SHOEMAKER, DANIEL, was born April 30th, 1834, and died September 2nd, 1835.

7115 VI SHOEMAKER, ANNA, was born February 6th, 1836. She is unmarried and is at home kindly attending to her aged parent.

7116 VI SHOEMAKER, BENJAMIN, was born January 21st, 1838. On February 23rd, 1864, he was married to Polly Shantz who was born January 16th, 1840, and died June 5th, 1890. Soon after their marriage they moved on his father's old homestead where he still resides, Here they raised a family of four children, viz:

7117 VII SHOEMAKER, SUSANNAH, was born March 11th, 1866. She is married to Emanuel Shantz and resides in the town of Berlin. They have a small family.

7118 VII SHOEMAKER, NANCY, twin sister to Susannah, was born March 11th, 1866. She is married to Henry Otterbein and resides at home with her father.

7119 VII SHOEMAKER, AARON, the only son, was born May 31st, 1871. He is married to Barbara Shoemaker. They reside on the old "Benjamin E. Eby Farm" in S. S. No. 6, where he is engaged in farming. This farm adjoins that of his father's place.

7120 VII SHOEMAKER, MAGDALENA, youngest in family, was born October 14th, 1879. She is home with her father and is a great favorite among all the members of her father's and her grandfather's family. She used to be kind of a pet with some of the teachers in school.

7121 VI SHOEMAKER, HENRY, was born August 21st, 1841, and died in Conestogo where he resided,

November 24th, 1877. He was a good scholar and an expert in mathematics. The trade of his choice was waggon building which he carried on until his death which was caused by typhoid fever. On October 28th, 1864, he was married to Catharine Weber who was born December 15th, 1846. She is still living and resides on corner of Ahrens and Frederick Streets, Berlin. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

7122 VII SHOEMAKER, ISABELLA, was born May 28th, 1865, and died December 30th, 1877.

7123 VII SHOEMAKER, LYDIA ANN, was born September 19th, 1866. She is married to Simeon Eby. They reside in the town of Galt and have one child, a son named VIII Maurice Lincoln.

7124 VII SHOEMAKER, ALBERT, was born January 3rd, 1868, and died September 13th, 1868.

7125 VII SHOEMAKER, ELLEN, was born July 3rd, 1869. She resides with her mother and is engaged as book-keeper by Hymmen and Russell, Berlin.

7126 VII SHOEMAKER, URIAS, was born March 18th, 1872. Clerking in dry goods stores was his occupation. A few years ago he left Berlin and went to Detroit, Michigan, where he was engaged as clerk in a large dry goods establishment.

7127 VII SHOEMAKER, ISAIAH, was born July 27th, 1873. He is a jeweler by trade and has a fine place of business in Paisley, Bruce County, Ontario, where he is doing well. He is unmarried.

7128 VII SHOEMAKER, JOHN, was born May 1st, 1875, and died same day.

7129 VII SHOEMAKER, GEORGE W., was born July

6th, 1876. He is a photographer by trade and at present he is engaged with Mr. C. Schneuker, the artist, Berlin, where he is receiving his final instructions in his calling as artist. He resides with his mother.

7130 VII SHOEMAKER, HENRY W., was born May 25th, 1878. He is a druggist by profession and at present is engaged with Mr. Neville, proprietor of the City Drug Store, Berlin. He has his home with his mother.

7131 VI SHOEMAKER, MAGDALENA, was born October 30th, 1843. She is married to Joseph Reist, a farmer. They live near Alsfeldt, Grey County, Ontario, and have one son named VII Allan.

7132 VI SHOEMAKER, MOSES, was born February 1st, 1847, and died March 15th, 1847.

7133 VI SHOEMAKER, SARAH, was born January 21st, 1848. She is married to Owen Shantz. They reside at Remus, North Michigan, not far from Petoskey. They have a family of five children, two of whom died in infancy.

7134 VI SHOEMAKER, BARBARA, was born July 8th, 1850. She is not married and is with her brother, Benjamin, since the death of his wife.

7135 VI SHOEMAKER, ISAAC, was born October 5th, 1852, and died June 23rd, 1853.

7136 V SHOEMAKER, ELIZABETH, second daughter of George Shoemaker, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, March 5th, 1805, and died August 5th, 1846. She was married to Jacob Schatz who was born January 11th, 1798, and died March 7th, 1872. They resided in Lower

Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where they had a family of eleven children. John and George, two of their sons, lived in Canada for some time but returned to their native state many years ago. Michael, another son, came here some thirty years ago and at present resides at Wallaceville, Perth County, Ontario. He is a shoemaker by trade but at present he is engaged in farming. They have a small family of grown children.

7137 V SHOEMAKER, JOSEPH, was born January 12th, 1807. He never lived in Canada. After he left home he moved to Ohio, thence to Indiana, then, later on, to Albion, Marshal County, Iowa, where he is still living. On February 15th, 1831, he was married to Catharine Jantzen who was born January 25th, 1810, and died September 25th, 1866. They had a family of six children, viz:

7138 VI SHOEMAKER, SARAH ANN, was born December 9th, 1831. She is married to Jackson Reid.

7139 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY ANN, was born May 1st, 1834, and died May 8th, 1837.

7140 VI SHOEMAKER, ALBERT, was born September 30th, 1836, and is married to Milvina Maulsby.

7141 VI SHOEMAKER, LYMAN JOSEPH, was born September 19th, 1842, and died August 9th, 1845.

7142 VI SHOEMAKER, LOVINA CATHARINE, was born July 30th, 1844. She is married to Jonathan Roberts.

7143 VI SHOEMAKER. GILBERT JOSEPH, was born November 8th, 1849. He is married to Clara Ford.

7144 V SHOEMAKER, ABRAHAM D., was born in

Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, February 16th, 1809. In May, 1829, he came to Canada with his grandfather, Jacob Shoemaker, George Bechtel and family, and his brother John's widow, old "Maricha," and her three youngest children, Magdalena, Veronica, and David. On April 15th, 1834, he was married to Mary Miller who was born November 20th, 1814, and died September 11th, 1874. He died January 13th, 1888. Some time after their marriage he moved on the farm now occupied by his son, David M., where he constructed a dam and erected the sawmills. An extensive business in lumber was carried on at these mills for a number of years. Recently the Berlin Water Works Company purchased the water privilege together with several acres of land. This caused the removal of the sawmills. Here he had a family of nine children. Their names are as follows:

7145 VI SHOEMAKER, ESTHER, was born April 17th, 1836. She is married to George Sneller and resides in Manheim, Waterloo County, Ontario. She has a family of five children, namely: VII Mary, VII John, VII David, VII Catherine, and VII Abraham.

7146 VI SHOEMAKER, MARY, was born January 1st, 1838. She was accidently burnt, July 11th, 1838, from which she died a few hours afterwards.

7147 VI SHOEMAKER, DAVID M., was born September 28th, 1839. On August 7th, 1860, he was married to Jane Ann Hamacher. They reside on his father's old homestead. He has held the office of of councilor for a number of years both in the township of Waterloo and also in the town of Berlin. They have a family of six children, viz:

7148 VII SHOEMAKER, LUCINDA, was born August 9th, 1861. On October 5th, 1880, she was married to Samuel E. Shantz. They reside on a farm about

three-fourth mile from her father's place. They have a family of three children.

7149 VII SHOEMAKER, IDA MINERVA, was born September 1st, 1863. On October 14th, 1883, she was married to Jacob B. Oberholtzer. They reside a little west of Berlin, on the "Randall Farm." They have a family of two children.

7150 VII SHOEMAKER, ALLAN, was born September 26th, 1866. On July 16th, 1886, he was married to Catherine Oberholtzer who died in Berlin, April 6th, 1890. They had a family of two children. On January 3rd, 1894, he was again married to Mary Simpson. They reside at home on his father's farm which he manages.

7151 VII SHOEMAKER, SIMSON, was born July 25th, 1870. He is unmarried and works on his father's farm.

7152 VII SHOEMAKER, MARY JANE, was born March 10th, 1873, and died October 28th, 1881.

7153 VII SHOEMAKER, WESLEY, was born May 30th, 1879. He is at home on the farm with his father.

7154 VI SHOEMAKER, SARAH, was born May 9th, 1841. She was married to Benjamin Snyder, June 21st, 1863. They reside about a mile north-west of Bloomingdale, and have a family of eleven children, namely: VII Joannah, VII Wellington, VII Eliza Jane, VII Mary Ann, VII Sarah, VII Elmina, VII George Walter, VII Leander, VII Abraham Urban, VII Benjamin Alexander, and VII Samuel Addison. See Benjamin Snyder's family.

7155 VI SHOEMAKER, SUSANNAH, was born Jan-

uary 18th, 1843, and died October 2nd, 1888. On April 2nd, 1861, she was married to John Cole. They reside in Berlin and had a family of eight children, viz:

VII MARIA was born February 25th, 1862, and died August 3rd, 1874.

VII SARAH was born January 19th, 1864.

VII JAMES was born October 13th, 1865, and died October 13th, 1865.

VII MARY ANN was born January 24th, 1868.

VII LYDIA JANE was born January 1st, 1870, and died September 9th, 1877.

VII MENNO was born January 6th, 1873.

VII NANCY was born April 25th, 1875, and died May 26th, 1875.

VII EMMA was born August 5th, 1877, and died February 7th, 1888.

7156 VI SHOEMAKER, MENNO, was born March 8th, 1845. He is married to Esther Shantz and resides in Berlin and is a carpenter by trade. They have a family of five children, namely: VII Samuel Allan who died in 1893, aged 22 years, VII Rebecca, VII Clara, VII Emma, and VII Harvey.

7157 VI SHOEMAKER, ABRAHAM, was born August 1st, 1848. He has his home with his brother, David M., who has to provide and care for him.

7158 VI SHOEMAKER, ISAAC, was born May 3rd, 1850, and died same day.

7159 VI SHOEMAKER, SIMON, was born September 20th, 1852, and died same day.

7160 V SHOEMAKER, DANIEL, was born June 15th,

1811. In 1829 he came to Canada with his parents. On March 22nd, 1836, he was married to Nancy Miller who was born March 11th, 1816, and died May 20th, 1846. They resided in different places of the county. A few years ago he went to Filion, Michigan, with one of his children where he died August 23rd, 1892. Their family consisted of five children, viz:

7161 VI SHOEMAKER, ELIZABETH, was born November 11th, 1836, and is married to William Tilt. They reside at Filion, Michigan.

7162 VI SHOEMAKER, CHRISTIAN M., was born October 28th, 1838, and is married to Mary Fortney. They reside at Corinth, Michigan.

7163 VI SHOEMAKER, ISAAC M., was born August 15th, 1840, and is married to Nancy Hilborn. They reside at Preston, Ontario.

7164 VI SHOEMAKER, HENRY M., was born September 11th, 1842, and was married to Rosina Vernon. He died in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, U. S., December 28th, 1886.

7165 VI SHOEMAKER, SAMUEL M., was born September 31st, 1844. He is married to Laura Hall and resides at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

7166 V SHOEMAKER, JOSHUA, was born April 20th, 1813, and came to Canada in 1829. He was married to Catherine Scheirich and lived in Wilmot Township, on the tract of land now owned by John and Moses K. Schneider. His father-in-law wanted him to purchase his farm, now owned by George Hiestand. He sold his farm in Wilmot Township and moved to John Scheirich's. After his wife's death he was married to Catherine Wildfong. After his second marriage he left the Scheirich farm and purchased the farm now owned by Peter Reist. Here he constructed a dam and erected a sawmill. On the evening

of May 15th, 1840, while engaged in fishing at the dam, he fell off the raft and was drowned. He left a family of three children, one of whom was named VI John.

7167 VI SHOEMAKER, JOHN S., a painter by trade, resides in Grand Traverse, Michigan. He is about sixty years of age. No information received in regard to his marriage or family.

7168 V SHOEMAKER, CATHERINE, the youngest of George Shoemaker's daughters, was born February 12th, 1815, and came to Canada with her parents in 1829. On September 22nd, 1833, she was married to Richard Haste who was born September 15th, 1809, and died September 12th, 1876. They had a family of twelve children, namely: VI Mary Ann, VI Moses, VI Nancy, VI Catherine, VI Aaron, VI George S., VI Angeline and VI Caroline (twins), VI Lovina, VI Angela, VI Henry, and VI Richard A. All of this family reside in the West, Indiana and Illinois.

SHUPE.

(This family is very much scattered, the descendants are to be found over all North America.)

Among the early pioneer settlers of this county was old John Shupe. He was a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, to which place his grandparents had moved from the Palatinate, Germany, as early as 1715 if not earlier. Mr. Shupe was born in 1759. When a young man he was married to Elizabeth Diefenbach. In 1801 he, with his wife and family moved to Canada and settled in Wa-

terloo County, on the east bank of the Grand River, near Freeport, where he died November 8th, 1812, and she died March 21st, 1825. To them was born a family of seven children, viz:

7169 II SHUPE, DANIEL, was married to Elizabeth Fordney. They resided on a farm in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where he was accidentally killed by a team running away, in July, 1842, and she died of fever in November, 1842. To them was born a family of seven children, namely: III Samuel, died in infancy, III Joseph, III Mary, III Moses, III Magdalena, III Christian, and III Simon.

7170 II SHUPE, JOHN, was born October 5th, 1784. He was married to Elizabeth Munson. They resided on the old "Shupe Farm" at Freeport where he died April 15th, 1861. Their family consisted of three children, namely: III Ephraim,* III Lucy, and III Mary.

7171 II SHUPE, BISHOP GEORGE, was born December 25th, 1788. He was married to Elizabeth Scheirich who was born May 26th, 1795, and died June 21st, 1866. They resided in Wilmot Township, near New Dundee, where he died April 29th, 1870. To them was born a family of six children, viz:

7172 III SHUPE, CATHERINE, the eldest in the family, was born September 10th, 1815. She was married to Nicolas Sararas who was born May 8th, 1808. They resided near New Dundee, where he died July 13th, 1893. To them was born a family of eight children, namely: IV George, IV Noah, IV Elizabeth, IV Mary, IV Magdalena, IV Fannie, IV Sophia, and IV Moses. See Nicolas Sararas family.

* Ephraim Shupe used to live on the old "Shupe Farm" near Freeport but moved away some years ago and no one could give me any information of his whereabouts.

7173 III SHUPE, BENJAMIN, was born July 27th, 1823. He was married to Anna Wismer who was born April 6th, 1829, and died January 11th, 1872. They resided near New Dundee, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming, but now lives retired and has his home with his son, George. Many years ago he was called into the ministry of the River Brethren denomination for which body he has been a diligent laborer up to the present time. His preaching is plain and practical and his sermons are always so worded that even the most unlearned can not fail but grasp the idea he wishes to convey unto his hearers. To them were born four children, viz:

7174 IV SHUPE, ISAAC, the eldest, died September 9th, 1849, aged about 1 year.

7175 IV SHUPE, HANNAH, was born August 10th, 1850. She is married to Eri Shrigley, a farmer. They reside near Kurtzville, Perth County, Ontario. and have the following family, namely: V Elmina, V Anna Malissa, and V Melvin.

7176 IV SHUPE, ELIZABETH, was born December 21st, 1852. She is married to George Eby, a farmer. They reside near Ayton P. O, Ontario, and have the following children, namely: V Louida, V Minerva, V Ervine, V James Edgar, V Angus, V Priscilla, V Olive Irene, and V Clifford G.

7177 IV SHUPE, GEORGE, was born April 6th, 1855. He is married to Elizabeth Becker. They reside on his father's old homestead, near New Dundee, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born the following children, namely: V Alvin B., V Hattie, V Harvey, and V Mauris.

7178 III SHUPE, MAGDALENA, is married to Abraham Stauffer. They reside in Michigan where he was engaged in farming. No information in regard to family.

7179 III SHUPE, MOSES, is married to Charlotte Fischer. They reside in Kansas where he follows farming. No report in regard to family.

7180 III SHUPE, MARY, is married to Benjamin Bechtel.† No information in regard to this family.

7181 III SHUPE, VERONICA, was married to Joseph Burkholder. They reside in Michigan where he was engaged in farming. No information in regard to family.

7182 II SHUPE, ADAM, was born July 29th, 1793, and was married to Mary Springer who was born June 16th, 1799, and died January 30th, 1888. They resided near Freeport, Ontario, for many years. When well advanced in age they made their home with Mrs. Levi Clemens who resided at Moline, Michigan, where they both died. His death took place November 29th, 1878. To them was born a family of eight children, viz:

7183 III SHUPE, ELIAS, resides at Port Elgin, Ontario.

7184 III SHUPE, REBECCA, resides at Scotland P. O., South Dakota, U. S. She was married to a Mr. Stafford.

7185 III SHUPE, ELIZABETH, was married to a Mr. Derry.

7186 III SHUPE, EMILY, resides in Grand Rapids, Michigan. She was married to a Mr. Hilborn.

7187 III SHUPE, ISAAC, resides in New Market, Ontario.

† Son of old Jacob Bechtel of Blair.

7188 III SHUPE, ANNA, was married to a Mr. Kirkpatrick and resided in Beverly Township, Wentworth County, Ontario.

7189 III SHUPE, MARY, was married to a Mr Sauvery. They resided near Preston, Ontario.

7190 III SHUPE, SALLIE, was married to Levi Clemens. They reside at Moline, Michigan. See Levi Clemens' family.

7191 II SHUPE, JACOB, was born in April, 1795, and was married to Eva Scheirich who was born November 16th, 1799, and died July 13th, 1841. They resided in Wilmot Township, a little west of New Dundee, where he died. To them was born a family of eight children, namely: III Elizabeth, III John, III Jacob, III David, III Samuel, III Cyrus, III Aaron, and III Catharine. No information in regard to old Jacob's family further than names of children has been received with the exception of Samuel and Jacob.

7192 III SHUPE, SAMUEL S., was born in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, October 25th, 1824. He was married to Nancy Erb who was born March 6th, 1813, and died July 6th, 1889. They resided near New Dundee, Ontario, until her death when he moved to Berlin where his daughter, Catherine, kept house for him till his death which took place December 7th, 1889. To them were born three children, viz:

7193 IV SHUPE, ELIZABETH, was born September 29th, 1846. She is married to Wendel Honsberger, a farmer. They reside in Michigan and have a family of eleven children, namely: V Cyrus, V Peter, V Israel, V Nancy (dead), V Norman, V Lydia, V Fernando, V Lizzie, V Herman, V Ida Minerva, and V Leroy.

7194 IV SHUPE, CATHERINE, was born March 4th, 1848. She is married to John Winger, a farmer. They reside near Stevensville, Ontario.

7195 IV SHUPE, PETER, was born January 12th, 1852. He is married to Veronica Shantz. They reside on his farm near Shantz Station, formerly owned by John Shafer, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consisted of two children, viz:

7196 V SHUPE, SAMUEL LESLIE, born June 19th, 1883, died February 14th, 1884.

7197 V SHUPE VERA, born March 28th, 1893.

7198 III SHUPE, JACOB, was born June 19th, 1822. He was married, February 7th, 1849, to Sallie Ann Master who was born February 26th, 1833. They resided in Washington, Oxford County, for many years but at present reside in the town of Galt. Mr. Shupe in his younger days followed carpentering and building but now he is engaged as a pattern maker. His family consisted of two sons, viz:

7199 IV SHUPE, JOHN WASHINGTON, was born in Washington,† November 18th, 1849, and died December 9th, 1881, of an injury received in a sawmill. On July 21st, 1874, he was married to Mandana Morse. They resided near St. Thomas, Ontario, where he was engaged as a carpenter. His family consisted of three children, namely: V Charles Milton, V Elon Roy, and V George Vernal. The widow is again married to Samuel Fordney and resides in Plattsville, Ontario.

7200 IV SHUPE, WELLINGTON, was born in St. George, Brant County, Ontario, February 20th, 1854.

Mr. J. Washington Shupe was the first child born in Washington after it had received its name and was added to the list of post offices for Upper Canada, now Ontario.

He is married to Sarah Isabella Rosenberger. They reside in Galt, Ontario, where he is engaged with Goldie & McColluch as a mechanist. To them are born three children, namely: V Nellie Mandana, V Albert Edwin, and V Lillie Gertrude.

7201 II SHUPE, DAVID, sixth son of old John Shupe, was married to Polly Schaefer. They resided in Huron County, Ontario, where both died, leaving a large family but names of only three were received, namely: III William, III Samuel, and III Barnabas.

7202 II SHUPE, BENJAMIN, the youngest son of old John and Elizabeth (Diefenbach) Shupe, was married to Sarah Ann Master who was born January 23rd, 1816, and died December 4th, 1881. They resided in Indiana, U. S., where he died some time ago. They had a family of several children but are all dead save one.

SITLER.

7203 I SITLER, JOHN, was born in Columbus, Ohio, November 2nd, 1811. His parents, Martin and Elizabeth Sitler, had moved to Ohio, from Pennsylvania, a few years before he was born. He came to Canada when a young man and was married to Sarah Clemmer, widow of Jacob Ziegler. She was born December 21st, 1812, and died January 4th, 1877. She had one son, named Aaron, with her first husband. See Aaron Ziegler's family. They resided on the farm now possessed by Menno S. Shantz nearly three miles north of Waterloo where they had family of twelve children, viz:

7204 II SITLER, JONATHAN, eldest son of John Sitler, was born June 8th, 1835, and was married, November 15th, 1859, to Mary, daughter of Joseph Kinzie. She was born August 11th, 1838. They resided on the old "Huber Farm" one mile north of Waterloo, where he died June 29th, 1880. Their family is as follows, viz:

7205 III SITLER, SUSANNAH, was born July 10th, 1861, and died September 26th, 1861.

7206 III SITLER, SARAH, was born September 6th, 1862. She is married to Noah Bowman. Names of children are IV Hannah, IV Elvina, and IV Lydia Ann who died some time ago.

7207 III SITLER, MAGDALENA, was born July 19th, 1864. She was married to Tilman Weber and died in Berlin, August 3rd, 1891. They had four children, namely: IV Amos, IV Urias, IV Mary Ann, and IV Abraham who died quite young.

7208 III SITLER, ANNA, was born July 3rd, 1866. She is married to Menno Martin. They have no family.

7209 III SITLER, JOSEPH, was born April 23rd, 1868.

7210 III SITLER, NOAH, was born March 5th, 1870.

7211 III SITLER, CATHERINE, was born April 23rd, 1872. She is married to Elias Shantz and resides on her father's old homestead, the old "Huber Farm." They have a family of two children, IV Clayton and IV Irene.

7212 III SITLER, HANNAH, born September 24, 1873.

7213 III SITLER, MARY ANN, born Dec. 16, 1875.

7214 III SITLER, VELINA, born November 26th, 1877.

7215 III SITLER, ENOCH, born October 29th, 1879, died June 23rd, 1880.

7216 II SITLER, SARAH, was born January 2nd, 1837. She is married to Joseph Burkhard. They reside on a farm one mile north of Floradale.

7217 II SITLER, LEAH, was born September 2nd, 1839. She is married to Abraham Brubacher. They reside in Ohio, U. S., where he is engaged in farming.

7218 II SITLER, NANCY, was born February 17th, 1340. She was married to Isaac B. Snider of German Mills, Ontario. See Isaac B. Snider's family.

7219 II SITLER, HENRY, was born February 16th, 1842. He was married to Susannah Good and died in 1862. They resided in Mosa Township, Middlesex County, Ontario.

7220 II SITLER, ELIZABETH, was born December 8th, 1843. She is married to Simon Martin and resides in Caledonia, Michigan.

7221 II SITLER, SAMUEL, was born November 14th, 1845, and died August 20th, 1847.

7222 II SITLER, JOHN, was born July 29th, 1847, and is married to Lydia Gingerich. They reside on a farm near Hawksville, Ontario.

7223 II SITLER, ISAAC, was born August 10th, 1850, and is married to Hannah Groh. They reside in Woolwich Township, three miles east of Heidelberg.

7224 II SITLER, JACOB, was born July 9th, 1852. He is married to Susannah Bechtel. They reside in Manitou, Manitoba.

7225 II SITLER, SUSANNAH, was born September 5th, 1854. She is married to David M. Brubacher

and resides on a farm near the Conestogo Mennonite Meeting House in Woolwich Township.

7226 II SITLER, MOSES, was born March 12th, 1860. He is married to Rachel Shoemaker and resides at Lantonia, Ohio.

7227 I SITLER, JACOB, son of Martin and Elizabeth Sitler, was born in Columbus, Ohio, August 2nd, 1817. On November 14th, 1837, he was married to Rachel Clemmer who was born December 15th, 1816. They resided on the farm now in possession of Moses Bearinger where she died April 24th, 1895. He died December 15th, 1857. They had a family of six children, viz:

7228 II SITLER, SOLOMON, was born June 2nd, 1838. He resides on a farm in Wallace Township, Perth County, Ontario, and is married to Mary Ann Clemens. They have a family of eleven children, namely: III Alexander, III Levi, III Sarah Ann, III Emma, III Henry (dead), III Allan (dead), III Lydia Ann, III Addison, III Clara, III Malinda and Celinda (twins).

7229 II SITLER, LYDIA, was born July 30th, 1840. She resides in Dundan City, Michigan. Her husband's name is Louis Peppler. Their family consists of six children, namely: III Rachel Ann (dead), III Allan, III Catherine, III Jacob, III Wellington, and III Walter.

7230 II SITLER, MARGARET, was born September 22nd, 1841. Her husband's name is Henry K. Snyder. They reside in the town of Waterloo. Their family consists of five children, namely: III Leon, III Owen (dead), III Sarah Ann, III Truman, and III Ira.

7231 II SITLER, JOHN J., was born June 4th, 1844. He is a farmer and resides in Culross Township, Bruce County, Ontario, and is married to Sarah Ann Good. Their family consists of four children, namely: III Angeline, III Rachel Ann, III Ezra, and III Sarah Ann.

7232 II SITLER, ELIZABETH, was born December 11th, 1847. She is married to Jacob Good. They possess a farm near Wyandot P. O., Maryborough Township, Wellington County, where they reside. Their family consists of eleven children, namely: III Silas, III Lydia, III Hannah, III Magdalena, III Ezra, III Levi (dead), III Emma, III Lizzie, III Ira, III Elo (dead), and III Jacob.

7233 II SITLER, SARAH, the youngest in the family, was born June 13th, 1851. She is married to Moses Bearinger. They reside on the old "Jacob Sitler Farm" two miles north of Waterloo. Their family consists of three children, namely: III Susannah, III Ephraim, and III Josiah.

SOUDER.

(Some spell name Sauder.)

We have two branches of this family resident in this county, one of which came at a much earlier date than the other. We shall give the descendants of the elder family first and afterwards that of the younger.

7234 II SOUDER, ABRAHAM, was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, probably as early as 1745. Tradition has it that he was the son of old I Jacob Souder, the millwright, who came to America and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, as early as 1720. We find in Mr. James Y. Heckler's history of Lower Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, that one Jacob Souder contracted with Gerhart Clemens to erect or build a mill for the said Clemens and to have it well made and give good satisfaction, for which the said Souder was to receive £33, one-half of which to be paid at completion of job and the balance six months thereafter. This contract was made March 26th, 1726. Mr. A. Souder was married to Catherine Fried. He followed farming for a number of years and when old he had his home with one of his children. To him and his wife was born quite a large family. The names of their children are as follows:

7235 III SOUDER, SUSANNAH, the eldest, was born April 1st, 1779. She was married to Henry Moyer and died in October, 1860. See Henry Moyer's family.

7236 III SOUDER, CHRISTIAN, no report of his family.

7237 III SOUDER, MARY, was married to a Mr. Wissler.

7238 III SOUDER, CATHERINE, was married to a Mr. Kyle,

7239 III SOUDER, NANCY, was married to Jacob Becker.

7240 III SOUDER, ELIZABETH, was married to a Mr. Allebach,

7241 III SOUDER, JOHN, was born in 1790, in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, where he was raised. In 1814 he was married to Catherine Snyder. To them

was born quite a large family. The names of the following children were received:

7242 IV SOUDER, JACOB, the eldest, was married to Hannah Nace and during the early part of his life resided in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, but when past middle age he moved to Upper Salford Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where he died.

7243 IV SOUDER, WILLIAM, the second son, was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, January 22nd, 1816, and was raised in Bucks County. When a young man he moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County in 1837. He was married to Mary, daughter of Daniel and Barbara (Cressman) Erb. She was born May 6th, 1820, and died April 17th, 1884. They resided in different places in the county but finally they settled near Zion, not far from Preston where he followed farming many years. He was a member of the Evangelical Association of which body he was a local minister. His death took place September 22nd, 1864. To him and his wife were born seven children, viz:

7244 V SOUDER, VICTORIA, the eldest, died in infancy.

7245 V SOUDER, VICTORIA, the eldest daughter living, is married to Christian Beaver. They reside near Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born the following children, namely: VI Christian, VI Daniel, VI Maggie, VI Mary Ann, VI Charlotte (dead), VI William (dead), VI Wellington (dead), VI Emeline, VI Caroline, VI Ada (dead), VI Laura, VI Edward, and VI Maurice.

7246 V SOUDER, DANIEL, the eldest son, was first married to Rachel Barron and after her decease to Sarah Zeller. He resides on his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming, To him and

his first wife was born one son named VI Menno, and with second wife there are five children, namely: VI Minerva, VI Flora, VI Ephraim, VI Elver, and VI Gordon.

7247 V SOUDER, WILLIAM, was born October 20th, 1847. On March 26th, 1872, he was united in marriage with Sophia Hagey who was born January 2nd, 1852. They reside near the River Bank school house where he is engaged in farming. To them were born seven children, viz:

7248 VI SOUDER, MARY, born February 26th, 1873, died March 2nd, 1873.

7249 VI SOUDER, ELSINA, born June 7th, 1874, died May 7th, 1877.

7250 VI SOUDER, LINNIE ANN, born March 27, 1877.

7251 VI SOUDER, CAROLINA, born Dec. 5, 1879.

7252 VI SOUDER, HERBERT, born April 15th, 1885, died July 21st, 1885.

7253 VI SOUDER, DORA, born November 2nd, 1886.

7254 VI SOUDER, LAURA, born May 17th, 1892.

7255 V SOUDER, MARIAH, died, aged about 23 years. She was unmarried.

7256 V SOUDER, AMOS, was born November 30th, 1853. On December 29th, 1875, he was married to Lophamah Eaton. They reside at Chicopee, on part of the old "Samuel Bricker Place" where he is engaged in farming. To them are born seven children, viz:

7257 VI SOUDER, THERON, born January 21st, 1877.

7258 VI SOUDER, CELISTA, born October 21st, 1878, died January 22nd, 1881.

7259 VI SOUDER, MELVIN, born February 14th, 1881.

7260 VI SOUDER, BURNELL N., born November 30th, 1883, died October 17th, 1889.

7261 VI SOUDER, HARVEY, born July 22nd, 1886.

7262 VI SOUDER, ELSIE, born April 25th, 1890.

7263 VI SOUDER, IDA MAY, born August 22nd, 1894.

7264 V SOUDER, CAROLINE, was born December 24th, 1856. She is married to Henry Hagey, a farmer. They reside on a farm a few miles north of Preston. Their family is as follows, namely: VI Nellie,† VI Ora (dead), VI Maud (dead), VI Odo (dead), VI Caroline Annettie, VI Alice Beatrice, VI Joseph, and VI Violet.

7265 IV SOUDER, JOSEPH, son of John and Catherine (Snyder) Souder, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, December 17th, 1822. He came to Canada in 1841 and settled in Waterloo County, near Hespeler. On March 26th, 1843, he was married to Christina Calfass. She was born March 28th, 1822. He followed farming many years but at present he and his aged partner have their home with their son, Jeremiah, who resides about two miles south of Breslau, on the old "Clemens Farm." To them were born ten children, viz:

7266 V SOUDER, JOHN, was born February 9th, 1844. He is married to Ellen Hilliard and resides on the old homestead, near Zion, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of six children, namely: VI William, VI Ada, VI Thomas, VI Herbert, VI Minnie, and VI Charles.

† Nellie is an adopted daughter which they took when quite young and she goes by the name Nellie Hagey.

7267 V SOUDER, CATHARINE, was born May 6th, 1846. She is married to Thomas Hilliard, manager of the Dominion Life Assurance Company. They reside in the town of Waterloo. Their family is as follows, namely: VI William, VI Lillie, VI Arthur, VI Angeline, VI Charles, VI Frederick, VI Maude, VI Florence, VI Ella, VI Harry, and VI Franklin.

7268 V SOUDER, JEREMIAH, was born July 4th, 1848. He is married to Priscilla Clemens. They reside on the old "Clemens Farm" and have a family of four children, namely: VI Malinda (dead), VI Leonard, VI Elona, and VI Abraham.

7269 V SOUDER, JOSEPH, was born April 7th, 1850. He is married to Wilhelmine Zingg. They reside a little north of Preston, on the old "Joel Clemens Farm." To them are born four children, namely: VI Henry, VI Elton, VI George, and VI Stella.

7270 V SOUDER, SOLOMON, was born February 29th, 1852. He is married to Mary Ann Klippert and resides in Berlin where he is engaged in the mercantile business. His family is as follows, namely: VI Edith, VI Eugene, VI Arthur, VI Nelda, and VI Hilda.

7271 V SOUDER, MARY ANN, was born August 4th, 1854. She is married to Menno Devitt. They reside in Waterloo where he is engaged in the mercantile business. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI Essie, VI Bertha, VI Hildah, VI Stanley, VI Eva, and one whose name has not been received.

7272 V SOUDER, SAMUEL L., was born November 2nd, 1856. He is married to Minnie McGreggor. They reside in Chicago, Illinois, where he is en-

gaged as a street car conductor. His family consists of five children, namely: VI Carrie, VI Charles, VI Walter, VI Grace, and VI Edgar Lewis.

7273 V SOUDER, MATILDA, was born February 12th, 1859. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

7274 V SOUDER, ISAAC, was born August 29th, 1861, and died June 3rd, 1878.

7275 V SOUDER, ANGELINE, was born April 1st, 1864. She is married to Harry Brown. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged with the School Supply Company of Berlin. Their family consisted of three children, VI (name not given), VI Harvey, and VI Roy.

7276 IV SOUDER, JOHN, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, and came to Canada in 1846 or 1847 and settled at Preston, Ontario, where he was married to Barbara Reichert. He died many years ago, leaving no heirs. His widow was again married to C. Cress of Preston.

7277 III SOUDER, ISAAC,† was married to Barbara Yoder.

7278 I SOUDER, PETER, a native of Saxony, Germany, was born December 28th, 1816, and emigrated to America when a young man. Soon after his arrival at Quebec he wended his way to Waterloo County, Ontario, where he settled. He was married to Polly, daughter of Jonas and Catherine (Livergood) Wildfong. She was born May 28th, 1828. Soon after their marriage they

† Mrs. Daniel Bergey (No. 870) was a daughter of Isaac Souder.

moved on a farm a little east of Elmira where they resided about twelve years, then he sold his farm and purchased that† of the late Joseph Cressman, now possessed by John K. Devitt. Here they resided some fifteen years when he again sold out and moved to near Dundalk, Melanchton Township, Wellington County, Ontario, where they still reside. To them was born the following family, viz:

7279 II SOUDER, LEVI, was born May 22nd, 1849. He is married to Martha Brethauer. They reside near Waubamick, Parry Sound, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born the following children, namely: III Owen (dead), III Lovina, III Victoria, III Minerva, III Polly, III Jessie, III Anna, III Ella (dead), III Mabel, and III Levi.

7280 II SOUDER, JUDITH, was born June 11th, 1851. She is married to Samuel Thompson, a gardener. They reside four miles west of Berlin. Their family is as follows, namely: III Susannah (dead), III Ellen, III Paulina, III Josiah, III George, III Isabella, III Simon, III Ezra (dead), III Catherine, III Edith, and III Clayton.

7281 II SOUDER, JONAS, was born February 18th, 1853. He is married to Christina Boyer. They reside in Markham, York County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of six children, namely: III David, III Esther, III Simon, III Catherine, III Levi, and III Jeremiah.

7282 II SOUDER, CATHARINE, was born October 3rd, 1855. She is married to George Latsch, a farmer and auctioneer. They reside near Centreville, Freeport P. O. To them are born three children, namely: III George, III Orphan, and III Fernando.

† About 4 miles east of Berlin.

7283 II SOUDER, PETER, was born May 29th, 1858. He is married to Maggie Elliot. They reside near Dundalk P. O., Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born four children, namely: III Alexander, III William, III Alfred, and III Olive.

7284 II SOUDER, JOSIAH, was born June 10th, 1860. He is married to Eliza Nethercut. They reside near Dundalk P. O., Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consisted of five children, namely: III Lorne, III Emma, III Ruby, III Vera, and III Stanley.

7285 II SOUDER, POLLY, was born July 15th, 1861. She is married to Samuel West. They reside in Bruce County, on the Peninsula, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of four children, namely: III Isabella, III Simon, III William, and III Laura.

7286 II SOUDER, NOAH, was born July 31st, 1863. He is married to Magdalena Minsie and resides on Bruce Peninsula where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: III Harry, III Albert, and III Louise.

7287 II SOUDER, LYDIA ANN, was born April 25th, 1865. She is married to Henry Kenyon, a wage-earner. They reside at German Mills. Their family is as follows, namely: III Gardnier, III Lewis, III Naomi, and III Malizza.

7288 II SOUDER, LEAH, was born July 20th, 1866. She was married to Charles Chisholm, a woollen manufacturer. They resided in the state of Maine, U. S., where she died September 1st, 1891, leaving one son named III William.

7289 II SOUDER, VERONICA, was born March 14th, 1868. She is married to Herman Wildfong, a farmer. They reside near Neustadt, Ontario. No family.

7290 II SOUDER, EZRA, was born August 23rd, 1871, and died September 18th, 1871.

7291 II SOUDER, ELLEN, was born July 11th, 1873, and died September 29th, 1873.

7292 II SOUDER, LUCY, the youngest in the family, was born October 24th, 1874. She is married to a Mr. Quiznell, a farmer. They reside in Manitoba and have a family of two children, namely: III Lorene and III Earl.

SPRINGER.

If there is a self-made, self-educated man in the town of Berlin, that man is our worthy sheriff, Mr. Moses Springer, who never had a year's schooling in his life, but was left an orphan at ten years of age and thrown entirely upon his own resources. He was a son of Benjamin Springer, merchant and afterwards farmer, and Mary Rykeman, a prominent member of the Mennonite Church, and was born in the township and county of Waterloo,* Ontario, August 24th, 1824. His father was born near Poughkeepsie, New York, and died of cholera in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario, August 16th, 1834, and his mother died of the same dreaded disease, August 30th, 1834. His great-great-grandfather, Charles Christopher Springer, a native of Holland, an ordained bishop, was sent to Stockholm, Sweden, where

* Near Blair on the farm lately owned by Deacon John Z. Detweiler.

he was created a baron and where Mr. Springer's great-grandfather first saw the light of day. After being well advanced in his studies the younger Mr. Springer† was sent to London, England, to complete his theological studies. After having completed the same, he, without the consent of his parents, crossed the ocean and came to Wilmington, Delaware,‡ where he built the first church, a stone structure which is still standing, and preached there for a number of years. The grandfather of our Sheriff, Rev. David Springer, was born in Wilmington, Delaware, and was also educated for the ministry of the Episcopal Church. He was a loyalist during the revolutionary troubles and while stationed near Poughkeepsie, New York, he was shot in his own yard soon after the outbreak of the Revolutionary War. He was married to *Margaret Oliver, a native of Paris, France, and had a family of nine children. Soon after her husband's death, the widow with her family left Poughkeepsie, New York, and emigrated to the wilds of Canada and finally settled at Hamilton, Ontario, where she died. One of her sons, Benjamin, as already stated, settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, and finally in Oxford County, where he died. As good luck would have it Mr. Springer (sheriff) early fell into the hands of a Mennonite, afterwards a minister and bishop, Joseph Hagey, a noble-souled man, by whom he was raised. Not satisfied with the little knowledge he had picked up at odd intervals in a public school, he was proffered gratuitous aid by an honest, and kind-hearted Scotchman, William Collins, to give him night lessons. Mr. Springer farmed until he was twenty years of age, taught school off and on for seven years, was for a number of years engaged in surveying, subsequently was a general merchant and latterly has been engaged in the conveyancing, insurance and general business. He

† The younger Mr. Springer was a Liberal and never had the least desire to associate with the nobility, hence his desire to come to America and associate with his countrymen who had settled in Delaware, then called New Sweden.

‡ He, although the son of a Baron, worked for his passage across the ocean.

* She was of aristocratic parentage. Her mother died when she was born and after she arrived at the age of maturity she was married to a nobleman and three months after their marriage the bloody persecutions of Paris broke out. She and her husband left in disguise for America. After being out on a voyage for several days, he returned with a homeward-bound vessel, promising to meet her in America after the restoration of peace, but this was the last of him. It is supposed that he lost his life during the civil disturbances. The wife continued her journey and came to Poughkeepsie, New York, where she purchased a large tract of land with the money willed to her by her father.

assisted in establishing the Waterloo Mutual Fire Insurance Company and was its president for seven years. In 1852 he was appointed a magistrate for the town* of Waterloo and was elected first Reeve for the said town* in 1857 which position he held for fifteen years, and when Waterloo was incorporated as a town in 1876, he was elected the first mayor and re-elected the next year without opposition and afterwards retired. Nobody took more interest in the progress and general welfare of Waterloo than Mr. Springer or has done more solid work in its municipality and that of the county. He has been secretary and treasurer of the North Waterloo Agricultural Society for twenty-four years, and was a member of the board of directors of the Agricultural Mutual Insurance Co. of London, Ontario, for about eighteen years. In 1867 he was elected to the Ontario Assembly for the N. R. of the county of Waterloo and represented that constituency until 1881 when he received the appointment of sheriff of the county, which appointment he still holds. Mr. Springer is a Reformer in politics and while the representative of North Waterloo he gave good satisfaction to his constitutency. Shortly after being appointed sheriff he moved to Berlin where he now resides. Mr. Springer is, we believe, no member of any church, but cherishes a warm regard for the Mennonites. He is well disposed, in fact, towards all christian people and very generous in the support of churches and sabbath schools. In 1845 he was married to Barbara, daughter of Joseph and Catharine (Schneider) Shantz. She was born August 11th, 1825, and died October 13th, 1884. In 1890 he was again married to Sophia, widow of the late D. Bowman, Barrister, of Hamilton, and daughter of the late Henry Beasley, many years treasurer of the county of Wentworth, Ontario, and a grand-daughter of the late Col. Beasley, a member of the first parliament of Canada. Mr. Springer's family consists of the following children, viz:

7293 SPRINGER, JOSEPH SHANTZ, the eldest, is married to Rosina Roos. He resides near Mossborough, Waterloo County, where he is engaged in farming.

* Then only a village.

7294 SPRINGER, MARY ANN, is married to Henry Roos. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged as salesman in the hardware business of Mr. Fish.

7295 SPRINGER, DR. MENNO, is married to Isabell McVane and resides at South Haven, Michigan, where he is practising his calling.

7296 SPRINGER, LIZZIE, is married to Cyrus E. Moyer. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in the hardware business.

7297 SPRINGER, BENJAMIN, is a machinist and when last heard of him he was down in Louisiana, U. S.

7298 SPRINGER, URIAS, is married to Lucena Clemens and resides in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged as a veterinary surgeon.

7299 SPRINGER, MOSES, is unmarried and at present resides at San Francisco, California, where he is engaged as a telegraph operator.

7300 SPRINGER, EMMA, is married to Michael Keena, a carriage builder. They reside in Tecumseth, Michigan.

7301 SPRINGER, WALTER, is a chemist and druggist, and resides in Detroit, Michigan.

7302 SPRINGER, HANNAH, the youngest in family, is unmarried and resides with her father in Berlin.

Mr. Springer's father's family consisted of ten children, viz:

7303 SPRINGER, DAVID, was married to Mary Campbell. They resided in Blenheim Township, where they both died.

7304 SPRINGER, JOHN, was married and resided in Bayham Township, Elgin County, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming.

7305 SPRINGER, BENJAMIN, died of cholera in August, 1834. He was unmarried.

7306 SPRINGER, RICHARD, was married to Emily Muma. They reside in Kingsville, Essex County, Ontario, where he was engaged as a builder.

7307 SPRINGER, AARON, was married to Mary Shipley and resided in Bayham, Elgin County, where he was engaged in farming.

7308 SPRINGER, MOSES, was married to Barbara Shantz and after her decease to Mrs. Sophia Bowman. See foregoing pages of the Springer family for particulars.

7309 SPRINGER, MARY, was married to Adam Shupe. See Adam Shupe's family.

7310 SPRINGER, ELIZA, was married to Lent Munson.

7311 SPRINGER, HENRIETTA, was married to Ira Lucia. They resided about three miles north of Preston where he was engaged in farming.

7312 SPRINGER, ELIZABETH, was married to Samuel Moxley. They reside in Missouri, U. S., where he is engaged in farming.

STAUFFER.

The progenitor of this numerous and widely spread family was born in Switzerland about the year 1682. Owing to the many trials and persecutions the Non-conformists were subjected to by the State Party many bid adieu to their native homes and fled to places where shelter and protection, besides freedom of religion, were promised them. Among this number was old Martin Stauffer† who fled to Muckenhauserhof, Wurtenburg, Germany, where he resided with his wife and family until his death. We could not ascertain the names of all his children, as some may have died before the father, but names of four have been received, namely: Christian, John, Mathias, and Daniel. Not many years after the decease of old Martin, the mother* with her four sons and other co-religionists, emigrated to America in 1738 or 1739 and settled near Lititz, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where she died not many years after their arrival in the land of the "Free."

7313 II STAUFFER, CHRISTIAN,§ the eldest, was born in August, 1711. His family consisted of two sons, namely: III John and III Jacob.

7314 II STAUFFER, JOHN,§ was born August 6th' 1715. He was married to Catherine Shenk.

7315 II STAUFFER, MATHIAS,‡ was born in 1719. No information in regard to his family.

† Tradition has it that his name was Martin and that he di d in 1735. When dying he urged his family to emigrate to America.

* The mother was so crippled from rheumatism that she was unable to walk, thus compelling her sons to draw her by hand in a little waggon, expressly made for that purpose, from her home in Germany to the seaport where they set sail for America, and after their arrival in Philadelphia they had her conveyed through the wi derness from the place of landing to Hammar Creek, about four miles north of Lititz, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they settled and founded a mill seat, known as Stauffer's mill.

§ Their descendants are all to be found in Pennsylvania and other states.

‡ In coming from Philadelphia to Lancaster County, Mathias, the third son, was missed by the company. He strayed from the party while passing through a forest. It is supposed by some that he wended his way to the north east and finally settled either in Montgomery or Chester County while others think he was killed by Indians or died of starvation.

7316 II STAUFFER, DANIEL, the youngest of the four sons, was born in 1726. He, after arriving at maturity, settled near Lititz, Lancaster County, where he had a family of several children. None of the names of his family were received save that of one son named III Abraham.

7317 III STAUFFER, ABRAHAM, was born in November, 1748, and in 1780 he was married to Elizabeth Zug. After his marriage he settled near Lititz, Lancaster County, where he followed farming. To him was born a family of ten children, viz:

7318 IV STAUFFER, DANIEL, was born August 18th, 1781. His descendants are all in Pennsylvania and other states.

7319 IV STAUFFER, SAMUEL, was born October 5th, 1782. He, in company with his brothers and others, came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. He was married to Esther Groh who was born December 5th, 1786, and died March 5th, 1862. They resided near Speedsville where he died August 1st, 1859. To them were born ten children, viz:

7320 V STAUFFER, ISAAC G., was born September 28th, 1807. He was married to Jane Tieter who was born December 15th, 1812. They resided at Acton, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming. Some twenty years ago he disposed of his farm and moved near Gaines, Michigan, where both of them since died. He died December 25th, 1878, and she died August 9th, 1885. To them was born a large family. The names of children are as follows: VI Levi (dead), VI Aaron, VI Esther, VI Samuel (dead), VI Isaac, VI John, VI Abraham, VI William, VI Hiram, VI Jacob, VI Eliza Jane (dead), VI Robert (dead), VI Wattie Ann (dead), VI Belinda, VI Alexander (dead), VI Ellen, VI Amanda (dead), and VI Mary A. The named

family all arrived at maturity save three, and are now very much scattered throughout Canada and the United States.

7321 V STAUFFER, SUSANNAH, was married to Jacob Kenzie, a farmer. They resided near Ayr, Ontario, but some years ago they sold their farm and moved to Kent County, Michigan, where both died. See Jacob Kenzie's family.

7322 V STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, was married to Samuel Betzner, a farmer. They resided two miles east of Breslau where both died. See Samuel Betzner's family.

7323 V STAUFFER, NANCY, was married to John Master. They resided near New Dundee, Ontario, where she died many years ago. See John Master's family.

7324 V STAUFFER, JACOB, was born January 17th, 1813. On March 25th, 1834, he was married to Elizabeth Mosser who was born January 29th, 1816. They resided in Blenheim Township, near Plattsville, where he died November 27th, 1879. Mrs. Stauffer is still living and has her home with her daughter, Nancy. Their family consisted of thirteen children, viz:

7325 VI STAUFFER, DAVID M., was born May 9th, 1836. He is married to Amelia Fisher and resides in Kent County, Michigan, where he has a family of six children, namely: VII William (dead), VII Emma (dead), VII Oliver (dead), VII Allan, VII Ella, and VII Owen.

7326 VI STAUFFER, DANIEL M., was born March 25th, 1838. He is married to Jemima Faulkner and resides in Farewell, Michigan. His family is as follows, namely: VII John, VII Elizabeth, VII George, and VII Lucinda.

7327 VI STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, was born June 10th, 1840. She was married to Robert Gofton. They resided at Plattsville, Ontario, where he died leaving a family of four children, namely: VII Jacob, VII Eliza, VII Rodger, and VII William.

7328 VI STAUFFER, NANCY, was born January 10th, 1843. She is married to Joseph Kolb, a farmer. They reside near Breslau, Ontario, and have a family as follows, namely: VII Oliver, VII Elsie, VII Lucinda, VII Ervine, and VII Alice (dead).

7329 VI STAUFFER, JACOB M., was born September 6th, 1845. He is married to Mary Ann Stauffer and resides in Kent County, Michigan, and has a family of four children, namely: VII Mabel, VII Ollie, VII Norman, and VII Wilbeth.

7330 VI STAUFFER, ESTHER, twin sister to Jacob, was born September 6th, 1845. She is married to Malone Bray. They reside in Woodstock, Ontario, and have five children, namely: VII Elsie, VII Sarah, VII Eliza, VII Maggie, and VII William.

7331 VI STAUFFER, AMOS,* was born February 20th, 1848, and died May 29th, 1849.

7332 VI STAUFFER, AARON,* was born February 20th, 1848, and died December 29th, 1848.

7333 VI STAUFFER, PETER M., was born May 6th, 1850. He is married to Nancy Gofton and resides at Plattsville, Ontario. His family is as follows, namely: VII Henrietta, VII Amos, VII William, VII Ivah, and VII Melvin.

7334 VI STAUFFER, HENRY, was born September 9th, 1852. He is married to Sarah Bristow. They reside in Plattsville, Ontario, and have a family of one child named VII Herbert.

* Twins.

7335 VI STAUFFER, JARED, was born September 16th, 1854. He is married to Anna Stemmler and resides in Schoolcraft County, Michigan. To them are born three children, namely: VII Norman, VII Roy (dead), and VII Morley.

7336 VI STAUFFER, ENOS, was born January 14th, 1857. He is married to Jennie Grant and resides in Schoolcraft County, Michigan. They have a family of four children, namely: VII Mabel, VII Laura, VII Grace, and VII Sylvester.

7337 VI STAUFFER, LUCINDA, was born June 13th, 1859, and died May 17th, 1863.

7338 V STAUFFER, ABRAHAM, was married to Susannah Latschaw and resided near Strasburg, Ontario, where she died of hydrophobia, leaving a family of five children. After her decease he was married to Magdalena Shupe. Soon after his second marriage he moved to near Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he died in 1866, leaving the following family, namely: VI Isaac, VI Esther, VI Jacob, VI Mary and VI Susannah of first wife, and VI Samuel, VI George, VI Moses (dead), and VI Aaron (dead) of second wife. All of the last named family reside in Michigan.

7339 V STAUFFER, DAVID G., was adopted by old Henry Erb who resided near Dundas, where young David died, aged about 14 years.

7340 V STAUFFER, CATHERINE, was married to Jacob Block, a farmer. They resided in Southern Wilmot where they both died. See Jacob Block's family.

7341 V STAUFFER, SALLIE, was married to Enos

Janzen. They resided near Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan, where they were engaged in farming but are now both dead. To them were born six children, namely: VI Abraham who died in the army during the civil war, VI Henry, VI Eliza, VI Esther, VI Rachel, and VI Hannah.

7342 V STAUFFER, LEVI, died, unmarried, aged about 30 years.

7343 V STAUFFER, JOHN G., was born near Preston, Ontario, December 8th, 1824. On December 3rd, 1851, he was married to Lucinda, daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Gabel) Hammacher. She was born near Wilmot Centre, Waterloo County, Ontario, September 6th, 1834. They resided in Oxford County, three miles south of Plattsville, Ontario, where he died December 5th, 1887. After his decease Mrs. Stauffer moved to Berlin where she is residing at present. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

7344 VI STAUFFER, MARY ANN, was born January 25th, 1853. On April 6th, 1879, she was married to Joseph Susalla, a farmer. They reside in Auburn, Bay County, Michigan. To them is born one child named VII Geneva.

7345 VI STAUFFER, LEVI H., was born August 3rd, 1854. He was first married to Nancy Shantz and after her decease to Lizzie Moyer. They reside several miles east of Breslau, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To him and his first wife were born two children, namely: VII Rosanna and VII Ada, both dead.

7346 VI STAUFFER, FOSTER H., was born February 26th, 1856. He was married to Mary Wagner. They resided in Buffalo, New York, where he died De-

cember 27th, 1889, leaving a family of two children, namely: VII Maimie (dead) and VII Chester. Mr. Stauffer followed teaching for several years in the county of Waterloo and upon quitting it he went to Buffalo where he received the appointment as provision agent at which he was engaged at the time of his death.

7347 VI STAUFFER, AARON H., was born November 29th, 1857. He is married to Emma Soules and resides in St. Louis, Missouri, where he is engaged in the wholesale dry goods business.

7348 VI STAUFFER, ROSANNA, was born August 25th, 1860. She is unmarried and resides with her mother for whom she is doing all she can to make her feel happy and comfortable.

7349 VI STAUFFER, LUCINDA, was born September 24th, 1862. She is unmarried and resides in Bloomington, Illinois, where she is saleswoman in a dry goods store.

7350 VI STAUFFER, ADDISON, was born March 15th, 1867. He is married to Lucinda Moyer and resides in Cincinnati, Ohio, where he is engaged in some dry goods manufacturing establishment. His family consists of three children, namely: VII Rosanna, VII Grace, and VII Floyd.

7351 VI STAUFFER, REV. BYRON H., was born August 27th, 1870. His boyhood days were spent on the farm near Plattsville, Ontario. When half through his "teens" he began to study for teacher and after being qualified he taught several years in our public schools, but he soon found the teaching profession not to be a very flattering one. About this time his mind became aroused as to spiritual affairs and he seemed to recognize in his internal feelings a call to the ministerial career for which he seemed to be naturally gifted. He now entered

upon the preparatory studies at Albert College, Belleville, Ontario, where he, after passing his examinations, was licensed to preach in October, 1893. He possesses the ability to become one of the noted preachers of the M. E. Church of which body he is a minister. As a clergyman he speaks with force, being solid, weighty and emphatic in his delivery. At present he is stationed at Holland, New York, where he has been doing a good work for the Lord during the past year. On December 31st, 1891, he was married to Mary E. Cairnes. To them is born one son named VII Gladys.

7352 IV STAUFFER, JOHN, was born April 11th, 1784. He was married and resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where his heirs are to be found.

7353 IV STAUFFER, SUSANNAH, was born April 11th, 1786. She was married to a Mr. Hellmuth. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they left numerous heirs.

7354 IV STAUFFER, ABRAHAM, was born August 1st, 1788. When a young man he was married to Catharine, daughter of John and Barbara (Freed) Biehn. She was born in 1785 and died in 1869. They resided on the farm now owned by Mr. Bear, near Doon, Ontario, where they raised their family. He died about the year 1858. To them were born six children, viz:

7355 V STAUFFER, ELI, is married to Lydia Ellenbaum. They reside at Lucknow, Bruce County, Ontario, where he followed farming for many years but now lives retired. Their family is as follows, VI Nancy (dead), VI Joel, VI William, VI Samuel, VI Abraham, VI Eli, VI Maria, VI John, VI Hannah, and VI Catherine.

7356 V STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, was born April 28th, 1811, and died April 14th, 1874. She was married to David Gingerich. See David Gingerich's family.

7357 V STAUFFER, JOHN, was born May 3rd, 1813. He was married to Hannah, daughter of Daniel and Barbara (Wismer) Schlichter. She was born April 15th, 1814, and died June 18th, 1890. They resided near Haysville, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming for many years but now lives retired and has his son, Dilman, to work the farm. His family consisted of ten children, viz:

7358 VI STAUFFER, DAVID, is married to Mary Kinsey. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as fireman with The Berlin Shirt & Collar Company. His family consists of two children, namely: VII Susannah, and VII Sarah.

7359 VI STAUFFER, AARON, died of fever when 14 years of age.

7360 VI STAUFFER, BENJAMIN, was married to Mary Betzner. They had a family of eight children, namely: VII Ellen, VII Zalinda, VII Isaac, VII Norman, VII John, VII Magdalena, VII Joseph, and VII Frederick.

7361 VI STAUFFER, MARY, was married to Charles Oswald. At present she resides in Haysville, Ontario. No issue.

7362 VI STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, is unmarried and resides with her father for whom she is keeping house.

7363 VI STAUFFER, NOAH S., died when about 4 years of age.

7364 VI STAUFFER, DILMAN, is married to Rebecca

Zimmerman. They reside on his father's old homestead about a mile south of Haysville, Ontario. To them were born the following children, namely: VII Elmina, VII Minerva, VII Allan, VII Samantha, VII Irvine, VII Rebecca, VII Minetta, and VII Florence Edna.

7365 VI STAUFFER, LYDIA, was married to Conrad Snyder, a farmer. They resided two miles east of Haysville where she died in 1886, leaving two children named VII Catherine and VII John.

7366 VI STAUFFER, JOHN S., died, aged about 6 years.

7367 VI STAUFFER, MENNO, is married to Jennie Trussler. They reside in Muskoka, Ontario, where he is engaged in the meat and butchering business. Their family is as follows, namely: VII George Gilbert, VII Stanley, VII Sidney, VII Freddie, and VII Viola.

7368 V STAUFFER, ABRAHAM B., died, aged about 20 years.

7369 V STAUFFER, CATHERINE, was born September 5th, 1820, and died May 20th, 1854. She was married to Joel Good. See Joel Good's family.

7370 V STAUFFER, JOSEPH, was married to Nancy Bowman (No. 258). They resided at Blair where he died, leaving a family of three children, namely: VI Caroline, VI Susannah, and VI Joseph who is married to Magdalena Clemens (No. 1759). They reside in Galt and have a family of twin boys named VII Clive and VII Claude.

7371 IV STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, twin sister to

Abraham, was born August 1st, 1788. She was married to Christian Bomberger, an inn-keeper. They resided in Dundas, Ontario, where they died, leaving no heirs.

7372 IV STAUFFER, ESTHER, was born September 18th, 1790. She was married to George Clemens. They resided near Preston where she died August 17th, 1836, leaving a numerous family. See Nos. 1730 to 1776.

7373 IV STAUFFER, DANIEL, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 20th, 1796. When a young man he came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. In 1818 he was married to Susannah Kinzey who was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, June 1st, 1798, and came to Canada with her parents in 1800 and died February 11th, 1881. Soon after their marriage they moved on north half of lot No. 5, Biehn's Tract, near Strasburg school house, where he died July 22nd, 1846. To them were born eight children, viz:

7374 V STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, was born January 5th, 1820. She is married to Joseph Y. Shantz, a farmer. They reside in Wilmot Township and have had a family of twelve children. See Joseph Y. Shantz's family.

7375 V STAUFFER, BARBARA, was born October 16th, 1822. She was married to David Y. Shantz. They resided in Wilmot Township where he died October 24th, 1894. To them were born five children. See David Y. Shantz's family.

7376 V STAUFFER, JUDITH, was born August 1st, 1825. She was married to Simon S. Shantz. They resided in Wilmot Township where she died Jan-

uary 26th, 1862, leaving a family of nine children. See Simon S. Shantz's family.

7377 V STAUFFER, JACOB C., was born January 10th, 1828. He is married to Lydia Rosenberger. They reside in Blenheim Township, a little north of Plattsville where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of four children, viz:

7378 VI STAUFFER, DANIEL R., is married to Emma Jones. He resides near his father's old homestead where he is engaged in farming.

7379 VI STAUFFER, SALLIE, is married to John Betzner. They reside in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged in some business.

7380 VI STAUFFER, MARY ANN, is married to James Furgeson, a farmer. They reside with her father on the farm near Plattsville, Ontario.

7381 VI STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, is married to Peter Hallman, a farmer. They reside near New Dundee, on the old "Saltzberger Farm."

7382 V STAUFFER, DANIEL, was born May 10th, 1831. He is married to Lydia Unger and resides at Williamsburg, Waterloo County, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of eight children, namely: VI Maria, VI Lucinda, VI Susannah, VI Simon, VI William, VI Daniel, VI Lydia, and VI Ervine.

7383 V STAUFFER, SUSANNAH, was born February 7th, 1834. She was married to Wiegand Stutz. They resided in Baden, Ontario, where she died October 30th, 1866, leaving a family of four children, namely: VI Elizabeth, VI Mary Ann, VI Susannah, and VI Lydia.

7384 V STAUFFER, MENNO, was born March 23rd, 1837, and died of fever December 23rd, 1853.

7385 V STAUFFER, REV. NOAH, was born February 13th, 1842. He is married to Barbara Betzner and resides on the farm formerly owned by his grandfather, near Strasburg. On November 9th, 1876, he was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite church for the Weber field of labor. The bishops that were present on day of ordination were Joseph Hagey, Amos Cressman and Abraham Martin. As a minister he is faithful to the dictates of his conscience and preaches the Word of God and not the laws and regulations of the church of the past, but the needs and requirements of the church of the present. His preaching is plain, practical and impressive, and in the delivery of his sermons he is earnest and brief. His style of preaching is clear and his sermons are so worded that the audience cannot help but be deeply impressed by the same. His family consists of three children, viz:

7386 VI STAUFFER, IDA, was born August 9th, 1868. She is married to Jacob S. Snyder, a farmer. They reside near the town of Waterloo and have a family of five children, namely: VII Obal H., VII Walter V., VII Anna B., and VII Barbara L. See Jacob S. Snyder's family.

7387 VI STAUFFER, OBAL B., was born March 9th, 1870. He is married to Magdalena Hallman and resides on the old "Stauffer Homestead" where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of one child VII Bula Bella.

7388 VI STAUFFER, JACOB B., was born May 11th, 1871. He is a druggist and chemist and resides in Toronto, Ontario.

7389 IV STAUFFER, JACOB, was born August 15th, 1802. He died young.

7390 IV STAUFFER, JOSEPH, twin brother to Jacob, was born August 15th, 1802. He was married to Rebecca Rosenberger who was born August 16th, 1801. Soon after their marriage they moved two miles west of the town of Waterloo, on the farm now possessed by their son, Levi. Here they resided and enjoyed life until death removed them. He died October 13th, 1880, and she died May 28th, 1882. To them was born a family of five children, viz:

7391 V STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, the eldest in the family, was born September 19th, 1823, and died October 17th, 1863. On March 3rd, 1846, she was married to John S. Bowman and had a family of six children. See Nos. 214 to 220.

7392 V STAUFFER, SUSANNAH, the second daughter, was born May 9th, 1828, and died April 2nd, 1862. She was married to Moses Eshleman and had a family of five children. See Moses Eshleman's family.

7393 V STAUFFER, MARY, was born June 30th, 1830. She was married to Jacob S. Bowman, a farmer. To them were born five children. See Nos. 221 to 225.

7394 V STAUFFER, NANCY, was born January 15th, 1834. She is married to Jonas B. Snyder, a farmer. To them were born five children. See Jonas B. Snyder's family.

7395 V STAUFFER, LEVI, the only son of Joseph and Rebecca (Rosenberger) Stauffer, was born September 19th, 1839. He has always been engaged in the avocation of his forefathers, that of agriculture. He is the owner of two beautiful farms, one of which was his father's old homestead and the other is the old "Beatty" or "Heckedon" farm. He has been manager of the

North Waterloo Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company for upwards of fifteen years, and is one of the most prominent members of the United Brethren Church. He is in sympathy with the Liberal cause of that body. On November 27th, 1859, he was married to Esther, daughter of John and Judith (Bingeman) Snider. They reside on the old homestead about two miles west of the town of Waterloo. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

7396 VI STAUFFER, MATILDA JOANNA, was born September 3rd, 1861. She is married to Alexander Wilson, a farmer. They reside near Ellington, Michigan. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Herbert, VII William, VII Clayton, VII Arthur, and VII Clare.

7397 VI STAUFFER, LYDIA ANN, was born December 14th, 1862. She was married to Ezra S. Shantz, a farmer. They resided near Haysville, Ontario, where he died May 10th, 1895. Their family consisted of four children, namely: VI Winnie, VI Susannah, VI Lorne (dead), and VI Burton.

7398 VI STAUFFER, JOSIAH, was born September 18th, 1864. He is married to Bella Wilson and resides on the old "Beatty Place" where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of three children, namely: VII Harley, VII Clarence, and VII Mary.

7399 VI STAUFFER, CLEMENTINA, was born February 10th, 1866. She is married to Ephraim Groff. They reside in Iowa where he is engaged in business. To them were born four children, namely: VII Gertrude May, VII Violet Evaline, VII Ephraim Roy, and VII Clarence (dead).

7400 VI STAUFFER, ALFARATA, was born January 30th, 1868. She is married to James Mitchell. They

reside in Victoria County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

7401 VI STAUFFER, ANNETTA REBECCA, was born August 28th, 1870. She is married to Charles Moore, a veterinary surgeon. They reside at Unionville, Michigan. Their family consists of one son named VII Lorne.

7402 VI STAUFFER, MARY JANE, was born September 2nd, 1872. She is unmarried and is home with her parents.

7403 VI STAUFFER, ALFIEMENIA, was born July 14th, 1874.

7404 VI STAUFFER, JESSIE ANN JUDITH, was born June 26th, 1876.

7405 VI STAUFFER, LORNE LEVI, was born March 8th, 1880.

7406 STAUFFER, NELSON, was born March 12th, 1870, and was raised in Conestogo where he attended the public school until pretty well up in his "teens," then he went to Elmwood, Ontario, where he learned the saddler trade. After serving his apprenticeship he went to Hamilton, Ontario, where he was engaged in business for some time. At present he resides in Bervie, Bruce County, Ontario, where he is doing a good business. While in Hamilton he was married to Annie Hebner. His family consists of one child named Lilly.

7407 V STAUFFER, CHRISTIAN, son of John Stauffer, was born February 17th, 1799. He was raised in York County, Ontario, near Stouffville, where he was married, April 15th, 1823, to Magdalena Raymer

who was born June 8th, 1796, and died April 2nd, 1888. In their old age they moved to Oxford County, near Plattsville, where he died September 25th, 1868. To them was born a family of eight children, viz:

7408 VI STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, was born August 9th, 1824. She is married to Adam Sherk. See Adam Sherk's family.

7409 VI STAUFFER, ABRAHAM R., was born May 9th, 1826. He is married to Eliza Reynolds. They reside in Plattsville where he is engaged in the milling business. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Wellington, VII Nancy Jane, VII Mariah, VII John, VII Charles, VII Minnie, and VII Roxy.

7410 VI STAUFFER, JACOB R., was born August 8th, 1828. He is married to Maria Sanborne. They reside at Lincoln Falls, Washington, U. S., where he is engaged in farming. They have five children, namely: VII William, VII Nancy, VII Maggie, VII Samuel, and VII Lizzie.

7411 VI STAUFFER, MAGDALENA, was born August 11th, 1830. She is married to Amos Sherk. See Amos Sherk's family.

7412 VI STAUFFER, CHRISTIAN, was born May 8th, 1833. He was married to Rebecca Motheral and resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where he followed farming. His death occurred December 22nd, 1866, and his family consisted of three children, namely: VII Francis, VII Ephraim, and VII Albert.

7413 VI STAUFFER, JOHN R., was born February 3rd, 1836. He was first married to Polly Strome

and after her decease to Rosetta Huges. They reside near Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born the following children, namely: VII Jared, VII Drusilla, VII Flora, VII Martha, VII Annie, and VII John.

7414 VI STAUFFER, SUSAN, was born July 24th, 1839. She is married to Moses Brown. They reside in Ann Arbor, Michigan, where they are keeping a boarding house. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Maretta, VII Eliza Jane, VII Annie, and VII Rosa.

7415 VI STAUFFER, PETER R., was born August 11th, 1843. He was married to Hannah Janzen. They resided at Washington, Oxford County, where they followed farming until April 16th, 1889, when they left the farm and moved to Berlin where they still reside. To them were born two children, viz:

7416 VII STAUFFER, MINNIE, is married to Henry Wagner, a baker. They reside in Berlin and have a family of two children, namely: VIII Alvira and VIII Marian.

7417 VII STAUFFER, ALDEN G., the only son, is engaged as a finisher in Kreiner & Co's furniture factory.

7418 VI STOUFFER, JOHN R., youngest son of Jacob and Fannie (Reesor) Stouffer, and grandson of John Stouffer, was born and raised near Markham Village, York County, Ontario. When a young man he followed farming until 1881. In fall of the same year he came to Berlin where he was engaged in the J. Y. Shantz & Son button factory for several years. After leaving the Shantz button factory, he, in partnership with Mr. Chas. K. Hagedon, commenced to manufacture covered and rim buttons. They were the only manufacturers of this class of

buttons in Canada. They dissolved partnership, April 16th, 1895, Mr. Stouffer taking the button business alone. We have copied the following from the *Daily Record* of Berlin which gives the public an idea of Mr. Stouffer's business qualities and his popularity as a citizen of Berlin: "For nearly eight years Mr. Stouffer's name has been before the Canadian trade as a manufacturer of covered and rim buttons. During that time he has built up a good trade for special buttons of this kind and has the distinction of being the only manufacturer of this class of buttons in Canada. Of these button lines he is especially proud and with good reason, for he makes covered and rim buttons, which for material, workmanship and finish cannot be excelled, and the goods find a market over the whole dominion, from Halifax to Vancouver. Mr. Stouffer manufactures for the wholesale trade only and from the strong and durable class of goods supplied he is enjoying a large and increasing trade. Personally Mr. Stouffer is popular as a business man and a citizen. He is well posted and has a fund of good common sense and sound business judgment. Being still a comparatively young man he is likely to witness a wide development of the business of which he is proprietor and to meet with good monetary success which the public will unite in wishing him." On December 30th, 1886, he was married to Anna Maria, daughter of Samuel B. and Rebecca (Fried) Schneider. She was born June 23rd, 1866. They reside on Queen Street West, Berlin, and have a family of two children, namely: VII Laura and VII Mabel.

7419 STAUFFER, NELSON S., was born December 22nd, 1862. On October 14th, 1885, he was married to Charlotte, daughter of Joseph H. and Catherine (Moyer) Moyer. She was born at the Twenty, Lincoln County, Ontario, October 23rd, 1864. They reside in Chicago, Illinois, where he is engaged in manufacturing all kinds of temperance drinks. She died July 22nd, 1895, leaving a family of two children, namely: Luella and Roy.

7420 IV STAUFFER, EMANUEL, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, October 4th, 1791. In 1816 he was married to Isabella Reid who was born March 1st, 1800. In 1826 they, with others, moved to Canada and settled on a farm a little north-east of the town of Waterloo where he died May 6th, 1844. She died November 1st, 1867. To them were born ten children, viz:

7421 V STAUFFER, LEVI, was born April 20th, 1817, and died in infancy.

7422 V STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, was born September 3rd, 1820, and died in infancy.

7423 V STAUFFER, LYDIA, was born September 15th, 1822, and died in infancy.

7424 V STAUFFER, MARY, was born February 22nd, 1825. She was married to Solomon F. Baumann who died January 2nd, 1869. To them were born nine children. See No. 498.

7425 V STAUFFER, HENRY, was born May 1st, 1828. He is married to Mary Schnarr. They reside at Erbsville, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

7426 V STAUFFER, ISAAC R., was born June 27th, 1830. He was married to Veronica Heckedon who died March 10th, 1875, and after her decease to Elizabeth Gasgone. They reside at Blair, Ontario, where he is engaged as a wage-earner. To him were born ten children, namely: VI Albert, born April 9th, 1869, and died February 7th, 1894, VI Mary Ann, born July 24th, 1870, and VI Isabella, born March 7th, 1874, and died at Moorefield, Ontario, in 1890, of first wife, and VI Franklin, VI Henry, VI Aggie, VI Gertrude, VI Ada, VI Lottie and VI Herbert (twins), born March 25th, 1889, of second wife. Lottie died March 26th, 1890, and Herbert died April 19th, 1889.

7427 V STAUFFER, MAGDALENA, was married to Christian Unger, a farmer. They reside in Indiana, U. S. No report of their family.

7428 V STAUFFER, JACOB, was born September 24th, 1834, and died in 1845.

7429 V STAUFFER, DAVID, was born April 8th, 1836, and died August 25th, 1849.

7430 V STAUFFER, JOHN R., was born March 19th, 1840, and died October 18th, 1851.

7431 STAUFFER, DAVID, son of Jacob and Mary (Hoch) Stauffer, was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, December 31st, 1813, and was raised in Butler County, same state. He was married, in 1836, to Anna Maria, daughter of Samuel and Polly (Bechtel) Shelly. She was born May 29th, 1819. On May 2nd, 1848, they, with their family of five children, left Harmony, Butler County, Pennsylvania, and moved to Canada and arrived at Berlin during the latter part of May. During the remainder of the year 1848 they resided on the farm formerly owned by the late William Moyer, now in possession of Isadore B. Snyder. In spring, 1849, they moved to Bridgeport, on the farm now possessed by Dilman G. Moyer where they had the misfortune of being burned out. In 1854 they moved on the old "Burkholder Farm" one mile north of the town of Waterloo where they resided until 1859, then they moved on the old "Henry Martin Farm" one mile north of the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. Here they resided until 1864 when he purchased a farm about two miles north-west of Heidelberg where they resided for ten years, then he sold his farm to a Mr. Compass, in 1874, and moved to Conestogo, having bought Mr. Charles Hendry's property, where they now reside. They have had a family of thirteen children, of whom three died in infancy, viz:

7432 STAUFFER, JOHN, the eldest son, was born in Harmony, Butler County, Pennsylvania, May 4th,

1837, and died at the same place, August 14th, 1839.

7433 STAUFFER, POLLY, the eldest daughter, was born in Harmony, Butler County, Pennsylvania, January 3rd, 1839, and died at Berlin, Waterloo County, Canada, November 21st, 1848.

7434 STAUFFER, ELIZABETH, the second daughter, was born in Butler County, Pennsylvania, August 23rd, 1840. On May 10th, 1859, she was married to Isaac S. Eby. See No. 2427.

7435 STAUFFER, ISAAC S., the second son of David Stauffer, was born in Butler County, Pennsylvania, November 2nd, 1842. When six years of age he came to Canada with his parents and was raised in the county of Waterloo. On August 24th, 1862, he was married to Barbara, eldest daughter of Joseph and Veronica (Shantz) Weber. She was born July 20th, 1844. They reside in Peel Township, Wellington County, near Glenallen, where he possesses two beautiful farms. Their family consists of eight children, namely: Zepheniah who is married to Selina, daughter of David Koch of Conestogo, and resides on a farm near Elmira, Ezra, Lucinda, Oliver, Lovina who is married to Joseph Ernst, a farmer, and resides in the township of Peel, near the village of Glenallen, Ida, Ira, and Harvey.

7436 STAUFFER, JOSIAH S., the third son of David Stauffer, was born in Butler County, Pennsylvania, December 2nd, 1844, came to Canada in 1848, and was raised in Waterloo County. When about twenty years of age he commenced to work at the tailoring business and now has a well established business at Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania. He was twice married, first to Elizabeth Musselman with whom he had four children, namely: Guy, Nina, Laura, and Earl, and after her decease to Anna Musselman. The second union was blessed with one child, a daughter named Sue.

7437 STAUFFER, ZEPHENIAH, the fourth son of David Stauffer, was born in Butler County, Penn-

sylvania, December 23rd, 1846, and died in the same county, March 13th, 1847.

7438 STAUFFER, LEVY, the third daughter of David Stauffer, was born at Bridgeport, Waterloo County, December 4th, 1849. She is married to Christian Fry. They reside in Woolwich Township, along the Wellesley Township line, two miles north of Heidelberg where he is engaged in farming. They have a numerous family. The names of the children are John, Maria, David, Catharine, Christian, Angeline, Levy, Martin, and Menno.

7439 STAUFFER, JACOB S., the fifth son of David Stauffer, was born at Bridgeport, Waterloo County, November 12th, 1851. He resides at Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, where he is engaged in the meat and cattle business. He is married to Amanda Weber. They have a family of five children, namely: Zepheniah, Clara, Elma, Ira, and Russel.

7440 STAUFFER, ANGELINE, the fourth daughter of David Stauffer, was born near Bridgeport, Waterloo County, December 16th, 1852. She was married to Aaron Scheifley, August 10th, 1875. See Aaron Scheifley's family.

7441 STAUFFER, ABRAHAM S., the sixth son of David Stauffer, was born near the town of Waterloo, April 8th, 1855. He was raised in Waterloo County. Some years ago he went to Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, where he entered into partnership with his brother. They are in the butchering and cattle business. He is married to Hattie Trucksell. They have no family.

7442 STAUFFER, REV. SAMUEL S., the seventh son of David Stauffer, was born near the town of Waterloo, May 19th, 1857. He is married to Lucy Lackner and resides at

Breslau, Ontario, where he has been stationed as a minister of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ Church and is doing a noble work for the Lord in His vineyard. He is a good speaker and his sermons are both instructive and convincing. May he yet be spared for many years to work for his Master. His family consists of six children, namely: David, Leander, Victor, Pearl, Stanley, and Hattie.

7443 STAUFFER, MALINDA, the fifth daughter of David Stauffer, was born in Woolwich Township, August 16th, 1859. She is married to Andrew Scheifle.

7444 STAUFFER, MELVINAH, the sixth daughter of David Stauffer, was born December 20th, 1861. She is married to John Wiegand, a teacher. They reside in the town of Berlin where she is engaged in giving instructions in sewing and teaching young ladies the art of cutting dresses by model. Their family consists of one child, a son named William.

STOECKLE.

7445 I STOECKLE, JOSEPH, emigrated with his parents from Switzerland to Rehnish, Bavaria, when he was three years old. When some twenty years of age he was married to Veronica Bachmann. They had a family of three children, namely: II John, II Magdalena, and II Catharine.

7446 II STOECKLE, JOHN, was born in Bavaria, Germany, in 1768, and was married in 1796 to Mary

Witmer who was born in 1770. They had a family of nine children, of whom five died in infancy. Of the remaining four the name of only one was received, viz:

7447 III STOECKLE, JOHN, was born November 25th, 1802. He left Germany and emigrated to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, U. S., where he arrived October 2nd, 1829. Here he remained until the summer of 1831 when he moved to Canada and arrived at Berlin, Waterloo County, Ontario, August 1st, 1831. Here he followed his profession (weaving) for about eighteen months. On January 29th, 1833, he was married to Esther Bliehm who was born March 16th, 1808. They moved on their large farm north of Strasburg and about four miles southwest of Berlin where they resided until his death which took place April 22nd, 1879. He was a member of the Mennonite Church of which body he was a minister for many years. His family consisted of six children, viz:

7448 IV STOECKLE, ELIZABETH, was born September 29th, 1834, and died July 14th, 1878.

7449 IV STOECKLE, DANIEL, was born April 28th, 1837, and was married to Lovina Detweiler, December 15th, 1861. They reside in Huron County, Ontario.

7450 IV STOECKLE, JOHN, was born February 20th, 1840, and died September 1st, 1857.

7451 IV STOECKLE, ABRAHAM, was born January 20th, 1842. He was married to Sarah Fordney, December 10th, 1867, and on January 13th, 1868, they moved to Ionia County, Michigan.

7452 IV STOECKLE, JACOB, was born August 20th, 1844. He was married to Elizabeth Snider, March 23rd, 1869. In 1873 he purchased the large farm of the late John Kraft, and from here he moved to Plattsville, Oxford County, where he resided until

a few years ago when he moved to the town of Waterloo. At present he is engaged as caretaker of the Berlin and Waterloo Hospital.

7453 IV STOECKLE, HENRY, was born December 20th, 1846. On January 11th, 1879, he was married to Lydia Schantz of North Dumfries. She was born August 31st, 1848. They reside on the old homestead of his father near Strasburg.

STRICKLER.

7454 I STRICKLER, HENRY, son of John and Lydia (Strickler) Strickler, was born in Spring Garden Township, York County, Pennsylvania, December 25th, 1824. In 1841 he left home and went to the state of New York, near Niagara Falls, where he was working with the carpenters until September, 1842, when he left and travelled north as far as Preston, Ontario, where he made his home with old Mr. John Bear. Here he was engaged in working at his trade and was also in the service of old David Reist as sawmiller until the great freshet carried away the dam. From here he went and hired to Michael Fisher for whom he was engaged as foreman for some time. On October 14th, 1845, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of David and Elizabeth (Bechtel) Histand. She was born September 13th, 1822. At present they reside about one mile east of Kossuth, Ontario. They have had a family of five children, viz:

7455 II STRICKLER, LYDIA, was born October 14th, 1846. She is married to Charles Jahn. They reside on a farm a little south-west of Kossuth. Their family consists of four children, namely: III Car-

oline, married to Isaac G. Cober, III Elizabeth, III Mary Ann, and III Angeline.

7456 II STRICKLER, VERONICA, was born March 12th, 1849. She is married to Frederick Kunkel. They reside on the old "Wüst Farm" two miles north-west of Breslau. They have three children, namely: III Noah, III Abraham, and III Daniel.

7457 III STRICKLER, ELIZABETH, was born April 29th, 1854, and died March 7th, 1884. She was married to Enos Shantz but left no family.

7458 III STRICKLER, MAGDALENA, was born September 1st, 1857. She is married to Martin Woolner. They reside in Aldborough Township, Elgin County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. They have a family of three children, namely: III Alice, III Elsie, and III Harvey.

7459 III STRICKLER, ANGELINE, the youngest in the family, was born February 16th, 1860, and died, unmarried, September 10th, 1890.

STROME.

(Formerly spelled Strohm.)

7460 II STROME, CHRISTIAN, son of *Jacob Strohm, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, July 14th, 1778. He came to Canada in 1810 and settled in Waterloo County, near Hespeler. He was married to Mary Rutt who was born April 10th, 1776,

* Mr. Jacob Strohm's father was a native of Wurtenburg, Germany, and moved to America when Jacob was a lad of 9 years.

and died June 8th, 1831. After her decease he was married to Veronica Clemens, widow of Nathan Clemens. He died May 1st, 1850. His family consisted of six children, all of first wife. Their names are as follows:

7461 III STROME, ELIZABETH, the eldest daughter, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, August 25th, 1802, and came to Canada with his parents when eight years old. She was married to Abram C. Clemens, a deacon of the Mennonite body. They resided on a farm near Fisher's Mills, a little north of Hespeler, now in possession of their son, John. Their family consisted of five children, namely: IV Moses, IV Aaron, IV Mary, IV John, and IV Hannah. See Abram C. Clemens' family.

7462 III STROME, MARIA, the second daughter, was married to Samuel Schlichter. They resided in North Dumfries Township, near Roseville. See Samuel Schlichter's family.

7463 III STROME, EVA, the third daughter, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, September 9th, 1805. She was married to Rev. Jacob Hallman. They resided in Wilmot Towuship, near New Dundee, where she died July 11th, 1886. He died March 23rd, 1878. Their family consisted of three sons, namely: IV Samuel, IV John, and IV Jacob. See Rev. Jacob Hallman's family.

7464 III STROME, NANCY, the fourth daughter, was born in 1807 and died September 10th, 1880. She was married to Abraham Rosenberger. They first resided near Preston, thence they moved to Wilmot Township, west of New Dundee. See Abraham Rosenberger's family.

7465 III STROME, SALLIE, the youngest daughter, was married to Benjamin Rosenberger. They resided in North Dumfries Township, where he followed farming for many years. See Benjamin Rosenberger's family.

7466 III STROME, JOHN, the youngest and only son of Christian and Mary (Rutt) Strome, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 12th, 1810. On March 31st, 1831, he was married to Nancy, the youngest daughter of Jacob and Polly (Detweiler) Rosenberger. She was born May 7th, 1812. After their marriage they resided on the old "Strome Homestead," near Fisher's Mills, where he died August 19th, 1865. Old Mrs. John Strome is still living and quite smart for a woman of so great an age. At present she has her home with her son, Abram. Their family consisted of twelve children, viz:

7467 IV STROME, ABRAM R., was born March 21st, 1833. On May 15th, 1855, he was married to Esther Martin who was born May 29th, 1831. They reside in the town of Berlin, near the "Two Bridges." He is a contractor and builder. Their family consisted of six children, namely:

7468 V STROME, JEREMIAH, was born February 27th, 1856, and died May 22nd, 1894. He was married to Elizabeth Peppler and resided in Berlin where he died. Names of children are VI Annie Priscilla, VI Esther Sinobia, VI Eva Ethelena, VI George Amsey, and VI Clarence Jacob.

7469 V STROME, MENNO, was born August 3rd, 1857. He is agent for sewing machines, organs, etc., and is married to Anna Peppler. They reside in the town of Berlin and have a family as follows, namely: VI Lewis Elton, VI Charles Melvin, VI Arthur Leander, VI Ella Luella, VI Irene Elizabeth, VI Gertrude Almona, VI Viola Alberta, VI Mabel, and VI Menno.

7470 V STROME, ALMEDA, was born June 10th, 1859, and died May 25th, 1860.

7471 V STROME, MARY ANN, was born January 13th, 1861, and died same day.

7472 V STROME, MERRITT, was born April 8th, 1862, and died April 20th, 1862.

7473 V STROME, CHRISTIAN, was born December 3rd, 1864, and died December 4th, 1864.

7474 IV STROME, HENRY, was born November 1st, 1835. On August 22nd, 1852, he was married to Elizabeth Martin who was born August 2nd, 1834. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged as a builder and contractor, and have had a family of eleven children, viz:

7475 V STROME, HIRAM, was born April 27th, 1853, and died May 29th, 1853.

7476 V STROME, CLARA MALISSA, was born April 10th, 1854. She is married to Frederick Miller, a farmer. They reside in Upper Woolwich. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI Jeremiah, VI Frederick, and VI Eliza Ann.

7477 V STROME, LUCINDA, was born February 5th, 1857. She is married to Peter Schwindt, a farmer. They reside north of Elmira. Their family consisted of eight children, namely: VI Andrew, VI Mary Ann, VI Charles (dead), VI Melvin (dead), VI Dora, VI Lillie (dead), VI Percival (dead), and VI Edith.

7478 V STROME, FRANKLIN, was born April 24th, 1859. He is married to Helena Battenburg and resides in Elmira where he is engaged in carpenter-

ing. Their family consists of six children, namely: VI Henry, VI Oscar, VI Florence, VI Harvey, VI Eliza (dead), and VI Franklin.

7479 V STROME, ALMEDA, was born May 19th, 1861, and died November 15th, 1887. She was married to John Miles, a carpenter. They resided in Elmira. No issue.

7480 V STROME, JOHN HENRY, was born October 16th, 1863. He resides in Neustadt, Grey County, where he is engaged as clerk in R. W. Walden's general store. He is unmarried.

7481 V STROME, ELIZA ANN, was born December 6th, 1865. She is unmarried and resides in Berlin where she is engaged in dressmaking.

7482 V STROME AMELIA, was born April 23rd, 1868. She is married to Simon Brunk who is engaged in the ready made clothing business in Berlin where he resides.

7483 V STROME, ABRAM LINCOLN, was born April 24th, 1870. He is a clerk in Mr. Henry Stuebing's grocery, No. 333 King Street, Berlin. Unmarried.

7484 V STROME, MARY JANE, was born September 23rd, 1872. She is a dressmaker and resides in Berlin with her parents.

7485 V STROME, WILLIAM M., was born May 20th, 1874. He is unmarried and resides with his parents in Berlin where he is engaged at the carpenter trade.

7486 IV STROME, DAVID, a farmer, resides in the township of Pilkington, Wellington County, Ontario, near Pentland P. O. He is married to Sophia Schaeder.

7487 IV STROME, POLLY, was married to John Stauffer. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where she died. He with his family has since moved to Michigan. The family consisted of seven children, namely: V Priscilla, V Flora, V Jared, V Martha, V Anna Laura, V William, and one who died in infancy, name not received.

7488 IV STROME, JOHN, died when about 16 years of age.

7489 IV STROME, AARON, a farmer, resides near Floradale, Ontario. He is married to Catharine Sand.

7490 IV STROME, ELIZABETH, was married to Andrew Miltz. They resided in Galt where he died. She died in New Dundee. They had three children, namely: V Anna M., V John Ervine, and V William (dead).

7491 IV STROME, MOSES, a farmer, resides in Wellesley Township, near Linwood, Ontario. He was first married to Sarah Congo and after her decease to Emma Stone.

7492 IV STROME, NANCY, is married to George Diebel, a merchant. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is in partnership with Mr. Bricker under the name of Bricker & Diebel. They are doing a large business in dry goods, clothing, etc.

7493 IV STROME, AMOS, resides in Lakefield, Manitoba, where he has a general store. He is married to Mary Freyvogel.

7494 IV STROME, ISAIAH, is married to Mary Ann Pfeffer. They reside at Brandon, Manitoba.

7495 IV STROME, ELIJAH, is married to Agnes Vinson and resides in Minto, North Dakota, where he has a general store. They have one child named V Rhoda.

7496 II STROME, DAVID, son of Jacob Strohm, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 14th, 1780, and came to Canada in 1810 and settled near Hespeler where he died April 21st, 1816. He was married to Eva Bliehm who died April 6th, 1829. They had several children but names were not received at time of going to press. None of his descendants are residents of this county.

7497 II STROME, JACOB, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, September 24th, 1783. He was married to Anna Maria Scheirich. She was born in 1784 and died July 10th, 1841. They resided near Hespeler, Ontario, where he died December 7th, 1855. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

7498 III STROME, CATHERINE, the eldest in family, was married to Enoch Kinyon. They have one son, named IV Jacob G., who resides in Waterloo Township.

7499 III STROME, JOHN J., was born September 12th, 1812. He was married to Catherine Anna Donnenwerth. They resided near Hespeler where he was engaged in farming. His death took place August 12th, 1865. Their family consisted of nine children, namely: IV Jacob, IV Michael, IV Aaron, IV John, IV David, IV Abraham, IV Isaac, IV Lizzie, and IV Samuel.

7500 III STROME, DAVID, was born April 28th, 1817.

He was married to Catherine Sararas. They resided about three miles east of Hespeler where he was engaged in farming. Here he died September 21st, 1875. She is still living† and enjoying good health. They had a family of eight children, namely: IV Leah, IV Eli, IV Noah, IV Andrew, IV Margaret, IV Benjamin, IV Rachel, and IV Solomon.

7501 III STROME, ELI, is unmarried. No further information of him received.

7502 III STROME, EVA, was first married to Simon Oberholtzer and after his decease to Joseph Burkholder. They reside near Hespeler. The family consisted of three children, namely: IV Noah (dead), IV Hannah, and IV David.

7503 III STROME, ELIZABETH, is married to John Wildfong, a farmer. They reside near New Dundee. Their family consists of three children, namely: IV Amos, IV Mary, and IV Leah.

7504 III STROME, SUSANNAH, was born January 24th, 1824, and died June 27th, 1846. She had her home near Hespeler where she died unmarried.

7505 III STROME, MARY, the youngest in the family, was married to John Bleam. They reside near Hespeler and have a family of one child named IV Hettie.

† January 12th, 1895.

THOMAS.

7506 I THOMAS, WILLIAM B., son of Ezra and Elizabeth (Bomberger) Thomas, was born in Dundas, Wentworth County, Ontario, February 7th, 1825. In spring, 1836, he was adopted by Peter Erb who resided on the old "Erb Farm" about two miles north of Bridgeport. In 1843, when he was eighteen years of age, he came to Jonas C. Shantz's, Wilmot Township, where he was engaged as farm hand for one year. From here he went to Copetown, Wentworth County, where he served his apprenticeship at the shoemaking trade for three years with one Jasper Dresser. In 1847 he returned to Waterloo County and engaged himself to Mr. John Salyards of Preston to work at his trade, in whose service he remained one year. In fall of 1849 he engaged the Reist school (S. S. No. 14) and in 1850 he taught the River Bank school (S. S. No. 15). On June 10th, 1851, he was married to Hannah, daughter of John and Judith (Bingeman) Schneider. After his marriage he worked at his trade for three years, having his shop in his present residence. After the expiration of the three years, he, in 1854, commenced to teach again and taught almost steadily up to 1884 when he retired from the profession. He is now on the superannuated list, receiving a yearly pension of $132. He resides at his old home near Bloomingdale where he has spent many a happy day in his life, and is quite well yet considering his age and the great amount of mental work he has performed in his time. Many good wishes for his happiness in the evening of his far advanced life.† To him and his wife was born a family of six children, viz:

7507 II THOMAS, JOHN S., was born May 21st, 1852. In 1870 he commenced teaching school and has been engaged in the profession with marked success ever since. He resides about two miles north of the town

† Since writing the biography of Mr. Thomas he died suddenly, May 8th, 1895.

of Waterloo where he is engaged as teacher in S. S. No. 25, Waterloo, and is married to Catherine Fischer. They have a family of two children, namely: III Ira Cyrus and III Lizzie Caroline.

7508 II THOMAS, MAGDALENA, was born January 2nd, 1854. She is married to William Robb, a builder. They reside in the city of Toronto. Their family consists of three children, namely: III Alexander, III Emma, and III George A.

7509 II THOMAS, EZRA S., was born April 18th, 1857. He is a carpenter by trade and resides near Bloomingdale. He is married to Angeline Rudolph. They have no family.

7510 II THOMAS, ELIJAH S., was born October 8th, 1861. He is married to Lydia Jane Underwood and resides near Bloomingdale where he is engaged in carpentering. To them are born four children, namely: III Warren, III Jezebel, III Bursell, and III Harold A.

7511 II THOMAS, LYDIA, was born October 15th, 1865. She is married to Aaron Witmer. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as a cabinet maker. To them is born one child named III Alta Violet.

7512 II THOMAS, JOSIAH S., was born January 8th, 1868, and died January 13th, 1872.

TOHMAN.

The Tohmans were among the early settlers of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, and according to tradition were natives of Saxony, Germany, from which place the old progenitor came about the year 1770. It is not known to whom he was married, neither what family he had. All we have is the name of one son named Samuel† who was born in 1769 and was married, January 9th, 1804, to Mary Derstein,* sister to Mrs. Jacob Clemens and Mrs. Abraham Clemens. She was born October 9th, 1771. After being married about ten years he disappeared.‡ In 1825 the wife and children moved to Canada with her sisters and settled in Waterloo County where she died many years ago. Her children are as follows, viz:

7513 III TOHMAN, ABRAM, the eldest, was born in 1804. He was married to Mary, eldest daughter of Samuel and Rebecca (Eby) Bricker. She was born November 3rd, 1806. After their marriage they resided on her father's old homestead near Freeport, Ontario, until February 25th, 1846, when they moved to Wilmot Township, a littte west of New Dundee where they resided until his death which occurred December 12th, 1867. After his death the widow had her home with her son, Samuel, who now possesses the old homestead. She died December 27th, 1893. To them was born the following family, viz:

7514 IV TOMAN, AMOS, was born November 11th, 1827. On September 2nd, 1855, he was married to Mary Ann Wells. He is a farmer and resides near Harriston, Michigan. Their family consists of six children, namely: V Sarah (dead), V Edward, V Mary, V Amos, V George and V Bertha (twins).

† Mr. William Honsberger informed the writer that he was under the impression that Mr. Tohman's name was Samuel and he left or disappeared about the year 1815.

* Mrs. Elizabeth Clemmer informed me that her name was Mary Derstein.

‡ After the family had moved to Canada he returned to Montgomery County where he was again married.

7515 IV TOMAN, REBECCA, was born April 11th, 1829. On March 19th, 1850, she was married to Richard Gehl, a farmer. They reside on her grandfather's (old Samuel Bricker) old place near Freeport, Ontario. To them was born a family of four children, namely: V Mary Ann, V Isaac, V Abraham who died May 7th, 1893, aged 39 years and 7 days, and V Melvinah.

7516 IV TOMAN, LEAH, was born April 18th, 1831. On November 6th, 1849, she was married to John Otto, a farmer. They reside in Wilmot Township, near New Dundee. To them is born a family of twelve children, namely: V Jonas (dead), V Susannah, V John, V Mary, V Abram, V Amos, V Emma, V Moses, V Elmina, V Owen, V Leah (dead), and V Magdalena, (dead).

7517 IV TOMAN, SAMUEL, was born March 28th, 1833. On October 6th, 1857, he was married to Lydia Hunsberger. He resides on his father's old homestead near New Dundee. They had a family of two daughters, V Elizabeth and V Lydia, when she died. After the decease of his wife he was married to Elizabeth Hunsberger, a cousin to his first wife. The second marriage took place May 14th, 1862. With his second wife he has had fourteen children, namely: V Leah, V Mariah, V Aaron, V Moses and V Noah (dead) (twins), V Samuel, V William, V Nancy, V Rachel, V Samanda, V Abraham and V Mary (twins), V Manasseh, and V Joseph (dead).

7518 IV TOMAN, ABRAHAM, was born January 29th, 1835. On October 13th, 1857, he was married to Esther Stauffer. They reside near Imlay City, Michigan, where they own one of the most beautiful farms of the county. Their family consisted of five children, namely: V Susannah (dead), V Rebecca, V Jacob, V Stauffer, and V Levi.

7519 IV TOMAN, SARAH, was born July 1st, 1837. On September 13th, 1858, she was married to Levi Fried, a farmer. They reside near Reed City, Michigan. Their family consists of eight children, namely: V Samuel, V Elamanda, V Susannah, V Joseph, V Henry, V Sarah Ann, V Levi, and V Mary.

7520 IV TOMAN, JOSEPH, was born October 12th, 1840. On October 11th, 1864, he was married to Caroline Keller. They reside on a farm near Reed City, Michigan. Their family consists of eleven children, namely: V John, V Rebecca, V Samuel, V Joseph, V Amos, V Louisa, V Mary, V Walter, V Caroline, V James, and V Jacob.

7521 IV TOMAN, MARY, was born January 18th, 1844. On February 14th, 1865, she was married to Michael Miller, a farmer and agent for farming implements. They reside near Manheim, Ontario. Their family consists of six children, namely: V Fannie, V Susannah, V Priscilla, V Julia Ann, V Charles, and V Mary Ann.

7522 IV TOMAN, SUSANNAH, the youngest child of Abraham and Mary (Bricker) Toman, was born January 14th, 1847. On February 25th, 1868, she was married to Daniel Knechtel, a contractor and builder. They reside in the town of Berlin and have a family of five children, namely: V Albert, V Allan, V William, V Jacob, and V Laura.

7523 III TOHMAN, RACHEL, was married to Charles Mohr. They resided near Breslau, thence moved to Blenheim Township, Oxford County, where they resided quite a number of years. From here they moved to Wisconsin where he died in 1845 or 1846.

She died in New Hamburg, Ontario. To them were born nine children, namely: IV Sarah, IV Polly, IV Susannah, IV Lydia, IV Rachel, IV Abram, IV John, IV Catharine, and IV Nancy. See Charles Mohr's family.

7524 III TOHMAN, CATHARINE, was married to William Reilly. They resided in Dundas, Ontario, where she died, leaving two children, a son and a daughter.

7525 III TOHMAN, MARY, was born August 13th 1810. On October 15th, 1826, she was married to David Wismer who was born December 22nd, 1807, and died September 8th, 1890. They resided in Markham Township, York County. To them was born a family of fourteen children, namely: IV Nancy, IV Levi, IV Eli, IV Salome, IV Joseph, IV Philemon, IV Sarah, IV Lydia, IV Barbara, IV Enos, IV Albertina, IV Elijah, IV Catharine, and IV Nellie.

7526 III TOHMAN, HANNAH, was married to Harry Smith. They resided in this county until 1855 when they moved to one of the Western States where they have since died. They had a family but names of children were not received.

7527 I TOHMAN, WILLIAM,† was born November 19th, 1825. He was married to Sarah Erb who was born December 10th, 1820. They resided in Bridgeport. He died in the Toronto asylum, in May, 1879. To them was born a family of two children, viz:

7528 II TOHMAN, LYDIA ANN, was married to John Thaler, a farmer. They resided in Bruce County,

† No relation to old Samuel Tohman and his family.

near Elmwood, where she died about eight years ago, leaving a family of several children whose names were not received in time for publication.

7529 II TOHMAN, LEVI, is unmarried and belongs to the Regulars of the British army. He was stationed at Gibraltar, Malta, St. Helena, and at present he is serving in some city in England.

7530 I TOHMAN, EMANUEL,† brother to William, was born April 19th, 1829. They reside in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged as a builder. About fifty years ago he was married to Anna Erb who was born November 6th, 1826. To them is born a family of nine children, viz:

7531 II TOHMAN, CLEASON, is married to a Miss Wismer. They reside at New Market, York County, where he is farming.

7532 II TOHMAN, JEREMIAH, died in infancy.

7533 II TOHMAN, ANGELINE, died in Grand Rapids, aged some twenty years.

7534 II TOHMAN, ALBERT, is married to Nancy Stauffer. He resides in Berlin where he is doing a well-paying business in horseshoeing, carriage ironing, and general blacksmithing. His family consists of seven children, namely: III Menno, III Nelson, III Cemantha, III Annie, III Mabel, III Fremon, and III Ethel.

7535 II TOHMAN, JOSIAH, is a cabinet maker and resides at Grand Rapids, Michigan. He is married and has a family of two children.

7536 II TOHMAN, AMANDA, is married to William

† No relation to old Samuel Tohman and his family.

Brocton. They reside in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and have a family of one child.

7537 II TOHMAN, EMANUEL, is a finisher of furniture and painter. He resides in Grand Rapids, Michigan, and is married and has a family.

7538 II TOHMAN, EZRA, is married and resides in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged in painting.

7539 II TOHMAN, IDA, resides in Grand Rapids. She is married.

TYSON.

Of the many Dutch Non-conformist families coming to America during the Colonial times, the Tysons were of the earliest and most prominent. We find that one Reynier Tyson† with twelve other men and families, a company comprising thirty-three persons, came across the sea and settled at Germantown, Pennsylvania, in 1692, if not earlier. This Tyson must have been a prominent member among these early settlers as we find his signature, together with others, on a certain certificate of complaint against one by name of Keith,† issued at a general or quarterly meeting held at Philadelphia, in 1692 or 1693, and this certificate was taken to London, England, in 1693 by one Samuel Jennings who presented it before the annual meeting there. Then again we find that in 1703 one by name of Cornelius Tyson came from Crefeld, Germany, and settled at Germantown, Pennsylvania. This Tyson died May 9th, 1716, and his body was interred in Axe's Graveyard, Germantown, where an intimate

† From D. K. Cassel's "History of the Mennonites."

friend of his, by name of Pastorius, had erected on his grave a tombstone. It bears the following inscription in Dutch:

Obijt Meiy 9. 1716.	Died May 9th, 1716.
Cornelius Tiesen.	Cornelius Tyson.
Salic sin de doon	Blessed are the dead
Die in den Here sterve	Who die in the Lord,
Theibric is haer Kron.	Numerous is their Crown,
Tgloriric haer evve.	Glorious is their reward.

All the Tysons in Pennsylvania and other states and even in Canada are descendants of the two named Tysons, but to give a full history of all the descendants of these two parties is impossible at so late a date. We have the names of five* who were probably grandchildren of one of the old pioneers. Their names are as follows:

7540 III TYSON, MARY, was born in 1752 and died in 1803. She was married to Jacob Shoemaker.

7541 III TYSON, ESTHER, was married to Abraham Honsberger (No. 3860).

7542 III TYSON, CATHARINE, was married to a Mr. Pennebecker.

7543 III TYSON, ISAAC, was the father of the late Isaac B. Tyson of Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

7544 III TYSON, JOHN, was born in 1754. He was married to Susannah Op-den-Graeff. They resided near Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where he was engaged in farming. His family consisted of five children, viz:

7545 IV TYSON, WILLIAM, was born August 23rd, 1782. He was married to Barbara, daughter of Henry and Magdalena (Langenecker) Urmy. She was born January 26th, 1789, and died in Bridge-

* These five were all of one family.

port, Ontario, April 18th, 1843. In 1835 they with their son, Isaac, and Hannah Hyser, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County,† Ontario. They resided in Bridgeport, Ontario, where he died January 7th, 1844. His family consisted of two sons, viz:

7546 V TYSON, JOHN U., was born in Frederick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, April 19th, 1808. In 1832 he came to Canada and made a stay of several months, then returned again. In 1833 he came the second time and located temporarily at Flamboro, Wentworth County, Ontario, where he was engaged as clerk in one of Mr. Durrand's stores. Several years later he came to Waterloo County and resided in Bridgeport where he was engaged in the mercantile business. He was married to Elizabeth Miller who was born near Lewiston, New York, not far from Niagara River, July 26th, 1812. He died in Berlin, June 6th, 1869. She is still living and has her home with her daughter, Mrs. Bowman. They had a family of two children, viz:

7547 VI TYSON, ANGELINE LOUISA, is married to Israel D. Bowman. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged as Town Clerk. See Nos. 563 to 567.

7548 VI TYSON, ALBERT M., the only son, is married to Elizabeth Kelley and resides in Wiarton, Ontario, where he is engaged as Collector of Customs. His family consists of eight children, namely: VII Lily Elizabeth who is married to Captain James Crawford of the Crawford Frigate Company of Wiarton, and has a family of three children, namely: VIII

† See Vol. I, page 59, for particulars.

Albert Joseph, VIII James Tyson, and VIII Bessie; VII William Millar, VII James Jackson, VII John Urmy, VII Albert Joseph, VII Susie Louisa, VII Angy Florence, and VII Bessie Olive.

7549 V TYSON, ISAAC U., was born in Frederick Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, May 26th, 1813. In 1835 he came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where he was engaged in teaching during the winter months for several years in succession. His trade was coopering and carpentering which he followed until he was well advanced in years. On October 20th, 1839, he was married to Anna (Nancy) Clemmer (No. 1968). She was born July 30th, 1817, and died in Kent County, Michigan, September 17th, 1887. To him was born one son named VI William Henry who was born March 25th, 1856, and died in Kent County, Michigan, October 1st, 1872. Since the decease of his wife Mr. Tyson disposed of his real estate and returned to Berlin, Ontario, where he is having his home with Mrs. A. C. Clemmer.

7550 IV TYSON, JACOB, was born in Skippack Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, in 1786 and died in 1863. He was married to Elizabeth Bergey who died at the age of seventy-four years. They resided in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where they followed farming. To them was born a family of nine children, namely: V Jacob, V Charles, V Mary, V Elizabeth, V Abram, V John, V Margaret, V Harriet, and one who died in infancy whose name was not received. None of the named family settled in Canada save Abram and John whose families are as follows:

7551 V TYSON, ABRAM, was born in Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, November 4th, 1819. In 1844 he came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where he followed the mason trade for several years. After his marriage he moved to Berlin where he was engaged in the mercantile business for a number of years. When old he, in company with his sons, was engaged in the butchering business,

doing a large trade. On November 5th, 1850, he was married to Julia, daughter of Henry and Hannah Headen. She was born near Exeter, Devonshire, England, May 22nd, 1830, and died in Berlin, February 9th, 1881. He died December 17th, 1891. To them was born a family of nine children, viz:

7552 VI TYSON, HARRIET J., was born December 23rd, 1851. She is married to John J. Piper, a clerk. They reside in Buffalo, New York.

7553 VI TYSON, CHARLES H., was born October 27th, 1853. He is married to Catharine Heimrich and resides in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged as clerk in a dry goods store. To them is born one child named VII Stephanie.

7554 VI TYSON, CLARA, was born November 2nd, 1855, and died August 27th, 1857.

7555 VI TYSON, MAGGIE, was born June 7th, 1858. She is married to John M. Scully, an accountant. They reside in the town of Waterloo.

7556 VI TYSON, ABRAM H., was born April 21st, 1860, and died of typhoid fever, October 23rd, 1879.

7557 VI TYSON, WALTER H., was born January 14th, 1862. He is married to Alice M. Bowman. They reside at Gretna, Manitoba, where he is engaged as an agent.

7558 VI TYSON, MILTON H., was born February 22nd, 1864. He is married to Sarah Craine and resides in Berlin where he is engaged in the meat and sausage business. His family consists of one child named VII Clara.

7559 VI TYSON, JOHN H., was born May 30th, 1865. He is married to Marie Hiller and resides in Berlin where he, in partnership with his brother, Milton, is engaged in the meat and sausage business. His

family consists of one child named VII George Walter.

7560 VI TYSON, LILLIAN M., was born January 4th, 1868. She is unmarried and has her home with her sister, Mrs. Scully.

7561 V TYSON, JOHN, was born in Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, October 31st, 1821. In 1844 he, in company with his brother came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where he was married to Isabel Wright of Winterbourne, Waterloo County, Ontario. Some time after their marriage they moved to Guelph, Ontario, where he was engaged in the butchering business for many years. He died February 11th, 1883, leaving the following family, namely: VI Joanna, VI Jacob (dead), VI Arthur, VI John, VI Abram, VI Mary, VI Jane, VI Charles (dead), VI Isabel (dead), and several others who died in infancy.

7562 IV TYSON, ABRAHAM, brother to Jacob and William, was married to Elizabeth Ziegler. They resided in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where he was engaged in farming. His family was as follows, namely: V Andrew, V John, V Jacob, V Joseph, V Mary, and V Sarah.

7563 IV TYSON, SUSANNAH, was married to Andrew Ziegler, a farmer. They also resided in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. To them were born the following children, namely: V Abraham, V John, V Andrew, and V Polly.

7564 IV TYSON, HANNAH, was married to Andrew

Heyser, a weaver. They resided in Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where they both died, leaving one daughter named V Hannah who was afterwards married to John Wissler. See John Wissler's family.

UNGER.

7565 I UNGER, ADAM, son of John Unger, a native of Switzerland, was born in Hesse Darmstadt, Germany, about the year 1763. When some twenty years of age he, in company with others, emigrated to America and settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, near Lititz. Here he was married to Elizabeth Koehner. They had a family of six children, two sons and four daughters, all born in Warwick Township. In 1812 he, in company with his wife and family, moved to Canada and arrived at Preston, Waterloo County, May 31st. For a short time they resided in one of the small log houses on the left side of the road leading from Preston to Blair, about a quarter mile from Cress's Hotel. From here he moved on north-west quarter of lot No. 54, German Company's Tract, near Centreville, part of this farm is now owned by David Thaler. After residing here for some years he sold this property and moved near Preston where he died.

7566 II UNGER, ADAM, son of Adam and Elizabeth (Koehner) Unger, was born in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 6th, 1801, came to Canada when eleven years of age and was raised in Waterloo Township. On October 31st, 1824, he was married to Margaret, daughter of Benjamin and Elizabeth (Detweiler) Hallman. She was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, August 31st, 1805, and

came to Canada with her parents in 1824. In February, 1825, they moved to North Dumfries Township, on lot No. 32, one mile east of Roseville. Here they resided until their death. He died August 17th, 1889, and she died March 18th, 1884. They had a family of seven children, viz:

7567 III UNGER, JOHN, was born in North Dumfries Township, September 10th, 1825. He is married to Polly, daughter of Wendel Bowman of Blair. At present they reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of eight children, viz:

7568 IV UNGER, MARANDA, the eldest in family, is married to Charles Miller, B. A. They reside in Detroit, Michigan, where he is practising at law.

7569 IV UNGER, JULIA ANN, the second daughter, is married to Aaron Erb. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in business.

7570 IV UNGER, LENA, the third daughter, is unmarried and resides at home with her parents.

7571 IV UNGER, IRVINE, resides in Detroit, Michigan, where he is engaged in a bank as ledger-keeper.

7572 IV UNGER, HANNAH, is married to Abram O. Boehmer. They reside in the town of Berlin.

7573 IV UNGER, SUSIE, is married to Adam Klippert, Jr. They reside in the city of Toronto.

7574 IV UNGER, MAGGIE, the youngest daughter in family, is married to Albert Fish. They reside in Linwood, Waterloo County, Ontario.

7575 IV UNGER, AUSTIN, the second and youngest son of John and Polly (Bowman) Unger, is at present engaged in one of the banks in the city of Detroit, Michigan.

7576 III UNGER, BENJAMIN, was born October 3rd, 1826. He resides in the town of Galt where he is engaged in business. He was married but name of wife and children were not received.

7577 III UNGER, JOSEPH, was married to Geraldina Brohman. They resided in the city of Toronto where he died in 1861. Their family consisted of two children, namely: IV Nelson and IV Maggie.

7578 III UNGER, CATHERINE, is married to Wendel Clemens, a farmer. They reside at Greenwood, Michigan. They have a numerous family. See Wendel Clemens' family.

7579 III UNGER, ELIZABETH, is married to Martin Grimm. They reside in Milverton, Perth County. Their family consists of five children, namely: IV Moses, IV Henry, IV Benjamin, IV Oscar, and IV Maggie.

7580 III UNGER, MOSES, resides in Hespeler where he is engaged in the wood and coal business. He is married to Magdalena Histand. Their family consists of twelve children, viz:

7581 IV UNGER, JOHN H., the eldest in the family, resides in Plum Coulee, Manitoba, where he is engaged in buying grain. He is unmarried.

7582 IV UNGER, ELLEN, is married to Menno Rickert. They reside at Manheim where he is engaged in farming.

7583 IV UNGER, MAGGIE, is married to Aaron W. Hilborn, teacher. They reside at Bloomingdale where he is principal of the public school.

7584 IV UNGER, HANNAH, is married to Jacob B. Rickert, a builder. They reside in Kenmore, New York.

7585 IV UNGER, BELLA, is residing in Kenmore, New York. She is unmarried.

IV Clara, IV Melissa, IV Magdalena, IV Joseph Adam, IV Emma, IV Verdie, and IV Edna, the seven younger of Mr. M. Unger's family, reside with their parents in Hespeler.

7586 III UNGER, HANNAH, is married to Jacob Bricker, a farmer. They reside near Fordwich, Howick Township, Huron County, and have a family of ten children, namely: IV John, IV Nelson, IV Emerilla, IV Melissa, IV Irvin, IV Maggie, IV Franklin, IV Adam, IV Ethelinda, and IV Shelly.

7587 II UNGER, GEORGE, second son of Adam and Elizabeth (Koehner) Unger, was born in Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1802, and came to Canada with his parents in 1812. He was married to Catherine Kraft. After their marriage they moved to Strasburg, Waterloo County, where they resided for many years. When old they moved to Normanby Township, Grey County, near Neustadt, where they died. He died August 18th, 1880. They had a family of eight children, viz:

7588 III UNGER, CHRISTIAN, the eldest, resides in Indiana since 1864. He is married to Magdalena Stauffer. No report of their family.

7589 III UNGER, GEORGE, was married to Elizabeth Weis. They resided near Williamsburg, Waterloo Township, where he was engaged in farming. They are both dead. Their family consisted of four children, viz:

7590 IV UNGER, EMANUEL, is a pedlar and dealer

in medicines. He resides in Berlin and is married to Sophia Pross. His family consists of four children, namely: V Cassie Stella Elsie, V Mabel May, V Leavie Lillie, and V Luella Doretha.

7591 IV UNGER, CATHERINE, was married to John Märtz. They resided in Galt where she died, leaving a family, namely: V Catherine, V Laura, V John (dead), and V Evia.

7592 IV UNGER, ALEXANDER, died in infancy.

7593 IV UNGER, JOSEPH, the youngest, resides in Galt where he is engaged in the tonsorial business. He is not married.

7594 III UNGER, HENRY, was a blacksmith by trade and resided at Port Rowan, Elgin County, Ontario, where he died. He was married to Susannah Price and had two children named IV Louis and IV George.

7595 III UNGER, ABSALOM, a farmer, resides near Neustadt, Grey County, Ontario. He is married to Elizabeth Shaus and has a family of thirteen children, namely: IV Catherine, IV Lucinda (dead), IV Lydia, IV Magdalena (dead), IV Susan, IV Enoch, IV John, IV Noah, IV George, IV Henry, IV Absalom, IV Veronica, and IV Elizabeth.

7596 III UNGER, MENNO, died in infancy.

7597 III UNGER, LEAH, was married to Joseph Bowman, a farmer. They resided at Manheim where she died, leaving six children, namely: IV Hannah, IV Susannah, IV Lydia, IV Benjamin, IV Noah, and IV Mary.

7598 III UNGER, CATHERINE, was married to Valentine Gildner, a blacksmith. They resided in

Berlin where she died, leaving six children, namely: IV Henry, IV David, IV John, IV Mary Ann, IV Allan, and IV Menno.

7599 III UNGER, HANNAH, was married to Valentine Gildner, a blacksmith, and a cousin to Catharine's husband. They resided in Wellesley Village, where she died. To them were born six children, namely: IV Magdalena, IV John, IV Catherine, IV Jacob, IV William, and IV Lydia.

7600 III UNGER, MAGDALENA, is married to Jonas Wagner, a shoemaker. They reside at Floradale, Ontario, and have seven children, namely: IV George (dead), IV John, IV Henry, IV Mary Ann, IV Catharine, IV Susannah, and IV Caroline.

7601 III UNGER, LYDIA, is married to Daniel Stauffer, a farmer. They reside at Williamsburg, Waterloo County, Ontario. To them are born eight children, namely: IV Maria, IV Lucinda, IV Susannah, IV Simon, IV William, IV Daniel, IV Lydia, and IV Ervine.

URMY.

7602 I URMY, HENRY, was born near Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, April 1st, 1756, and died January 1st, 1803. He was married to Magdalena Langenecker and had a family of ten children, viz:

7603 II URMY, HENRY L., the eldest, was born December 3rd, 1780, and died in infancy.

7604 II URMY, WILLIAM, was born October 8th, 1781, and died October 8th, 1781.

7605 II URMY, JOHN, was born April 10th, 1783, and died April 15th, 1840.

7606 II URMY, MARY, was born August 1st, 1785, and died August 29th, 1785.

7607 II URMY, DAVID, was born November 10th, 1786, was accidentally drowned February 25th, 1818.

7608 II URMY, BARBARA, was born January 26th, 1789, and died April 18th, 1843. She was married to William Tyson who born August 23rd, 1782, and died January 7th, 1844. In 1835 they moved to Canada and settled in Bridgeport, Ontario, on the place now owned by Philip Stricker. Here they both died. Their family consisted of two sons, namely: III John U., and III Isaac U. See William Tyson's family.

7609 II URMY, HENRY, was born September 21st, 1791, and died September 7th, 1795.

7610 II URMY, JACOB, was born September 22nd, 1793, and died June 5th, 1794.

7611 II URMY, ISAAC, was born December 1st, 1795. He came to Canada in 1820 and first resided at Dundas where he was engaged at his trade (tanning). Soon after his brother-in-law had moved to Bridgeport, Ontario, Mr. Urmy left Dundas and wended his way to Bridgeport where he then made his home with Mr. Wm. Tyson. For quite a number of years he was engaged at sundry works at Bridgeport. He strongly urged the erection of a tannery on the lot now possessed by Adam Birnstihl, but parties not favoring his project, later on assisted Mr. Wissler to erect his tannery at Lexington. Mr.

Urmy was never married and died at the home of his sister, Barbara (Mrs. Wm. Tyson), April 30th, 1841.

7612 II URMY, SAMUEL, was born December 22nd, 1800, and died same day.

WANNER.

7613 I WANNER, HENRY, the first by this name who settled in Waterloo County, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 12th, 1749. In 1774 he was married to Anna Mosser who was born February 8th, 1748. In spring, 1810, they moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near Hespeler, on the farm now in possession of John W. Martin. Here they resided until their death. He died February 12th, 1835, and she died May 8th, 1823. Their family consisted of nine children, all born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Their names are as follows:

7614 II WANNER, JOHN M., the eldest of the family, was born September 27th, 1775. He was married to Elizabeth Wecklin who was born December 7th, 1777, and died near Hespeler, Ontario, May 22nd, 1817. In 1810 they came to Canada with his parents and settled near Hespeler where he died February 1st, 1848. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

7615 III WANNER, JOHN W., was born in Lancaster

County, Pennsylvania, March 17th, 1801, and died September 28th, 1865. He resided on the farm now in possession of James T. Phin. He was first married to Catherine Gingerich and after her decease to Catherine Reichart. His family consisted of ten children, four of his first marriage and six of the second. Names are as follows:

7616 IV WANNER, ELIZABETH, was married to John Bechtel, a farmer. They reside in Dakota.

7617 IV WANNER, CHRISTIAN, was married to Minnie Schroeder. They reside near Yatton, Peel Township, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

7618 IV WANNER, CATHERINE, was married to Daniel Lehman, a farmer. They reside in Michigan, U. S.

7619 IV WANNER, VERONICA, was married to Frederick Stayger, a farmer. They reside in Wilmot Township, Waterloo County.

7620 IV WANNER, LEVI, a farmer, resides near Bethel, Wilmot Township. He is married to Rachel Holm.

7621 IV WANNER, SAMUEL, is a farmer and also a minister of the Dunkard body. He resides in Michigan and is married to Susannah Holm.

7622 IV WANNER, JOHN, a farmer, is married and resides in Indiana, U. S.

7623 IV WANNER, JOEL, a farmer, resides in Wilmot Township. He is married to Lovina Mosser.

7624 IV WANNER, HANNAH, was married to Christian Staubel. They reside in Michigan, U. S.

7625 IV WANNER, SUSANNAH, the youngest in the

family, is married to John Reist, a farmer. They reside near Elmira, Waterloo County, Ontario.

7626 III WANNER, GEORGE M., a farmer, resided in Puslinch Township, Wellington County, Ontario. He was first married to Nancy Gofton and after her decease to Mollie Holm, and had a family but names of only two children were received, namely: IV Daniel and IV Nancy.

7627 III WANNER, HENRY M., a farmer, resided near Hespeler. He was married to Anna Fordney. Both are dead. Their family consisted of six children, namely: IV Elizabeth, IV Veronica, IV Mary, IV Abram, IV Daniel, and IV Hannah.

7628 III WANNER, VERONICA M., was married to Henry Stryker, a farmer. They resided near Hespeler where they both died. They had a family of three children, namely: IV John, married to Caroline Quirmbach, IV Elizabeth, married to Henry Zoeger, and a daughter whose name was not received who died in infancy.

7629 III WANNER, EVA M., was born September 24th, 1809. She was married to Christian Horst. They resided in Woolwich Township, east of Elmira, where she died April 28th, 1874. To them were born thirteen children, of whom seven died in infancy and their names were not received. The names of the remaining six are IV Polly, IV Isaac, IV Lydia, IV Christian, IV Elizabeth, and IV Joseph. See Christian Horst's family.

7630 III WANNER, MARY M., was married to Michael Gingerich. They resided on a farm half-way between Preston and Hespeler where they died.

Their old homestead is now in possession of Daniel S. Shantz. See Nos. 3089 to 3108.

7631 III WANNER, ELIZABETH M., the youngest daughter of John W. Wanner, was married to Abram Bechtel, a farmer. They resided in North Dumfries Township, Waterloo County, and had twelve children, namely: IV Mary, married to Christian Witmer, both dead; IV Nancy, married to George Bechtel and after his decease to John Bock, IV Abram, married to Rebecca Bock and resided at Port Elgin, Ontario, IV William, married to Catherine Bock and resided in Wilmot Township, Ontario, IV Jacob, IV John, twin brother to Jacob, was married to Elizabeth Wanner; IV Amos, IV Noah, IV Magdalena, married to a Mr. Gingerich, IV Isaac, IV Lydia, and IV David.

7632 III WANNER, TOBIAS, the youngest son of John W. Wanner, was never married. He had his home with his sister who resided near Hespeler where he died some years ago.

7633 II WANNER, ANNA M., the eldest daughter of Henry Wanner, was born in Lancaster County, Penna., November 9th, 1776. She was married to Rudolph Detweiler who was born February 14th, 1771. In 1810 they came to Canada with her parents and settled near the Wanner Mennonite Meeting House where she died January 2nd, 1814, and he died March 18th, 1837. Their family consisted of eight children. See Nos. 2229 to 2271.

7634 II WANNER, BARBARA M., born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1778, was married to Christian Baumann. They resided in Lancaster

County, Pennsylvania, where they died. None of their descendants are residing in Canada.

7635 II WANNER, ELIZABETH M., was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, July 25th, 1781. She was married to Peter Mosser who was born April 6th, 1785, and died July 28th, 1872. They resided about a mile north east of Hespeler, on a farm adjoining that of David Pannebecker. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

III JACOB was married to Anna Groh and resided near Hespeler.

III MARY was married to David Reist and resided near Kossuth, Ontario.

III HENRY was married to Mary Reist and resided near Elmira, Ontario.

III ELIZABETH was married to Jacob Stauffer and resided near Plattsville.

III PETER was first married to Susannah Bear and after her decease to Anna Fortney, widow of Henry Wanner, and resided north of Hespeler.

III LEAH was married to Daniel Reist and resided near Breslau, Ontario.

III NANCY was married to Eli Wildfong and resided near Hespeler, on the old "Jacob Mosser Farm."

III SALLIE was married to Charles Richter and resided near Hespeler.

7636 II WANNER, MAGDALENA W., was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1784. She has married to Christian Witmer, half brother to David and Jacob Witmer. They resided near Preston, on the farm now in possession of Isaiah Holm. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

III CHRISTIAN, a farmer, is married to Nancy Bechtel and resides in North Dumfries Township, Waterloo County.

III SALLIE was married to Abram Bear and resides in Huron County, Michigan.

III NANCY was married to John Oberholtzer and resided near Hespeler.

III SAMUEL died, single, at Washington, Oxford County, Ontario.

III LEAH was married to Reuben Strickler, a farmer, and resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario.

III ELIZABETH was married to Reuben Strickler after her sister Leah's decease.

III DAVID was married to Hannah Shantz and resided in Plattsville, Ontario, where she died.

III JOHN died, single, aged about 20 years.

7637 II WANNER, CHRISTIAN W., was born in 1786 and died in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was born, aged about 23 years. He was not married.

7638 II WANNER, HENRY W., was born February 27th, 1788. When 22 years of age he came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, near Hespeler, where he was married to Nancy Clemens who was born September 12th, 1795, and died April 25th, 1815. After her decease he was married to Hannah Clemens who was born March 19th, 1798, and died January 5th, 1868. They resided on the farm now in possession of John W. Martin where he died May 7th, 1872. He left no issue.

7639 II WANNER, TOBIAS W., was born March 16th,

1790. He was married to Catherine Strycker who was born March 10th, 1798, and died May 21st, 1882. They resided on the farm now in possession of David Pannebecker, near Hespeler, where he died June 28th, 1845. Their family consisted of seven daughters, viz:

7640 III WANNER, BARBARA S., was married to Louis Beeshy. They resided for some time on his father-in-law's farm, thence they moved to Hespeler where he was engaged by the late Mr. Hespeler. From here he moved to Wilmot Township, and not finding things to his desire he went to California, leaving his wife and family in charge of her friends. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

IV HANNAH died, aged about 3 years.

IV CATHERINE is married to David M. Brubacher, a farmer. They reside near St. Jacobs. See David M. Brubacher's family.

IV ELIZABETH was married to Rev. Daniel S. Brubacher. They reside west of St. Jacobs. See Rev. Daniel S. Brubacher's family.

IV LYDIA is married to Peter Bösiger, a farmer. They reside near Pandora P. O., Putnam County, Ohio.

IV BARBARA died young.

IV MARY ANN was married to Benjamin Baumann.

IV JARED was married to Hannah Hembling. They resided at Creedmore where he died.

IV DAVID is married to Magdalena Baumann. They reside at Bluffton, Ohio, where he is foreman in a wagon and sleigh manufacturing establishment.

IV JACOB is married to Clara Thiel. They reside at Ridgeway, Welland County, Ontario, where he is engaged in the grocery business and has a jeweller and watch repairing shop in connection.

7641 III WANNER, HANNAH S., the second daughter of Tobias W. Wanner, was married to Abraham Wamboldt. After their marriage they resided at Holm's Mills, near Hespeler. Thence they moved to Blenheim Township, Oxford County. From here they moved to Hay Township, Huron County. Now they reside at Zurich, Huron County. They had a family of twelve children, viz:

IV TOBIAS was married to Sarah Ann Allison and resides near Breslau. He has a large family.

IV CATHERINE is married to John Neuschwanger, a shoemaker. They resided in Kansas where she died.

IV MARY is married to Abram Bushard, a farmer. They reside in Howick Township, Huron County.

IV JOHN is married to a Miss Bechtel. They reside in Port Elgin, Ontario.

IV MENNO is married to Caroline Stevens and resides in Indiana, U. S., where he is engaged in farming.

IV ABRAHAM is married to Angeline Erb. He resides near Berlin where he is engaged in farming.

IV HANNAH is unmarried and resides with her parents.

IV PAULINA is unmarried and resides with Mrs. William Moyer, Berlin.

IV REV. ISAAC was married to Emma M. Hershey. She died some time ago. Several years ago

he was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite body. At present he has his home with Mr. Absalom C. Snyder, near Breslau.

IV LEAH, twin sister to Isaac, died in infancy.

IV JOSEPH is married and resides in Hay Township, Huron County, Ontario.

IV ELIZABETH died in infancy.

7642 III WANNER, NANCY S., the third daughter of Tobias W. Wanner, was married to David Goudie. At present they reside about two miles south of Breslau. Their family consists of ten children. See Nos. 3315 to 3324.

7643 III WANNER, CATHERINE S., fourth daughter of Tobias W. Wanner, died July 20th, 1861. She was married to David Pannebecker, a farmer. They resided on the old "Tobias W. Wanner Farm." See David Pannebecker's family.

7644 III WANNER, MARY S., the fifth daughter of Tobias W. Wanner, was born November 10th, 1828. On May 9th, 1848, she was married to Isaac Groh. They reside on a farm a little more than a mile south-west of Hespeler. See Nos. 3416 to 3427.

7645 III WANNER, SUSANNAH S., the sixth daughter of Tobias W. Wanner, was married to Valentine Fisher, a farmer. They reside in Colborne Township, Huron County, Ontario, and have a family of eleven children, viz:

IV SARAH was married to Elijah Townsend, a farmer. They reside in Hullet Township, Huron County, Ontario.

IV LEAH was married to George Buck, a farmer. They resided near Goderich where she died.

IV ISAAC is married and resides in Colborne Township, Huron County, where he is engaged in farming.

IV SETH is married to a Miss Hunckin and resides in Colborne Township, Huron County. He is a farmer.

IV LUCINDA was married to Thomas Hunckin, a farmer. They resided in Huron County where she died.

IV SUSANNAH was married to Thomas Hunckin, husband of her deceased sister.

IV ABRAM belonged to the Mounted Police of the North-West where he died. He was not married.

IV NANCY is unmarried and resides in the city of Guelph.

IV VALENTINE, a barber and merchant, resides in the Canadian North-West.

IV MATILDA is unmarried and at home with her parents.

IV TOBIAS is single yet and resides with his parents.

7646 III WANNER, LEAH S., the seventh and youngest daughter of Tobias W. Wanner, is married to David Pannebecker. They reside on her father's old place near Hespeler, Ontario. Their family consists of seven children. See David Pannebecker's family.

WEBER.

7647 I WEBER, HENRY, generally known by his descendants as "Heiner," a native of Switzerland, was born about the year 1690. His father, "Hannes" Weber, was a strict adherent of the Protestant faith. After the decease of his father, in 1821, Henry, with his brothers, Christian and John, emigrated to America. It is not known where they arrived but in all probability at Philadelphia as we find they settled in Earl Township, Lancaster County. It is not definitely known where Christian and John settled. One report in the hands of the writer states that they left many heirs. Of Henry there are numerous descendants. He was married to Anna Hershi.† They resided near Blue Ball. Their family consisted of several children. The names of three of the sons have been received, namely: II Christian, II George, and II Henry.

7648 II WEBER, CHRISTIAN, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, December 25th, 1731. On September 30th, 1749, he was married to Magdalena Rutt who died in 1804. He died February 13th, 1820. They had a numerous family consisting of seventeen children, viz:

7649 III WEBER, HENRY, was married to Magdalena Huber. No heirs in Canada.

7650 III WEBER, BARBARA, was married to Michael Shert.

7651 III WEBER, CHRISTIAN, was married to Anna Long.

7652 III WEBER, JACOB, was married to Veronica Witmer.

7653 III WEBER, SAMUEL, fifth child of Christian

† Now spelled Hershey.

and Magdalena (Rutt) Weber, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1758. He was married to Sarah Heatwole. They had quite a numerous family but names of none of the children have been handed to the writer except that of IV Christian.

7654 IV WEBER, CHRISTIAN, was born about the year 1788. He was married to Anna Moyer. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where they both died. Their family consisted of five children, namely: V Solomon, V Samuel, V Gideon, V Isaac, and V Daniel. Samuel and Gideon never came to Canada.

7655 V WEBER, SOLOMON, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, July 10th, 1810. He came to Canada when quite a young man (in 1829 or 1830). He was a miller and was engaged in different mills before he set out as a minister. On April 23rd, 1832, he was married to Catherine Roos. Shortly after their marriage he moved to New Hamburg where he was engaged in the milling business. Thus we see that he was one of the early pioneers of Wilmot Township. In 1839 he experienced religion and labored six years as a local preacher. In 1849 he entered the itinerant ministry in which he remained in active service until old age and partial blindness caused his retirement. He was then placed on the superannuated list. During the time he was a local preacher he preached 500 sermons, and during his active ministry he delivered 5370 sermons. During the last ten years of his life he found a pleasant home and loving care in the home of his son-in-law, Frederick Guggisberg of Walkerton, Ontario. After a short illness he passed quietly and peacefully away to mansions beyond, February 8th, 1889. His wife died in the year 1880. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

7656 VI WEBER, CHRISTIAN, the eldest, died in the Buffalo (New York) Hospital in July, 1864, from a

fatal wound received in the battle before Petersburg, Virginia, during the late civil war.

7657 VI WEBER, GIDEON, is married to Lizzie Schmidt of New Hamburg, Ontario. They reside at Riceville, Iowa, where he is engaged in the mercantile business. To them are born two children, namely: VII Cate and another daughter whose name was not received.

7658 VI WEBER, ROOS, was married to Sophia Stoltz in fall of 1889. They reside in Erie, Pennsylvania, where he is engaged in painting. They have three children, namely: VII Gideon, VII Solomon, and a daughter whose name was not received.

7659 VI WEBER, SOLOMON, was born May 27th, 1849. In November, 1869, he was married to Judith, daughter of Senator Samuel Merner of New Hamburg. She was born December 19th, 1851. Mr. Weber is a saddler and book-keeper by trade. At present he resides in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged with The Waterloo Manufacturing Company. His family consists of four children, namely: VII Norman E., VII Roland W., VII Milton E., and VII Elden S.

7660 VI WEBER, WILLIAM, a moulder and founder, resides in New Hamburg, Ontario, where he is engaged in the foundry. He is not married.

7661 VI WEBER, ELIZABETH, is married to George Reid, a contractor and builder of boats. They reside at Lockport, New York, where he is overseer in the shipyards. Their family consists of three children, namely: VII Gideon, VII Solomon, and a daughter whose name was not received.

7662 VI WEBER, MATILDA, is married to Franklin

Guggisburg, a merchant. They reside in Walkerton, Ontario. To them is born a family of three children, namely: VII Clara, VII Rosetta, and VII Walter.

7663 VI WEBER, NANCY, is married to Peter Olheiser. They reside in Buffalo, New York, where he is engaged as clerk in one of the large dry goods establishments. To them are born three children, namely: VII Nina, VII Katie, and VII William.

7664 V WEAVER, ISAAC MOYER, brother to Rev. Solomon Weber, was born November 23rd, 1821, came to Canada in 1844 and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario. He resided in the towns of Berlin and Waterloo for some twenty years. Some time during the latter part of the sixties he moved west to North Dakota where he died May 6th, 1889. He was married to Mary Ann, daughter of the late John Hoffman. She died in Berlin, April 6th, 1886, aged 55 years. To them was born a family of five children, viz:

7665 VI WEAVER, WILLIAM HENRY, the eldest, was born August 19th, 1849. He resides in Hespeler where he is engaged as a woollen manufacturer and is married to Sarah Ellen Hawthorne. They have a family of four children, namely: VII Lister Everet, VII Herbert Marshall, VII Myrta Matilda and VII Ashford William.

7666 VI WEAVER, EVANGELINE, was born May 30th, 1855. She is married to William McCullough, a farmer. They reside at Seattle, state of Washington. To them was born a family of five children but names were not received.

7667 VI WEAVER, HANNAH MARIAH, was born September 4th, 1858. She is married to Charles

Ireland, a book-keeper. They reside in Tocoma, state of Washington. Their family consists of three children, names not received.

7668 VI WEAVER, CAROLINE AMELIA, was born September 11th, 1860. She is not married and resides in Winnipeg, Manitoba, where she is engaged as a book-keeper.

7669 VI WEAVER, ALPHEUS HOFFMAN, was born July 5th, 1863. He is a printer and resides in Tocoma, Washington State. He is married but name of wife was not received.

7670 V WEAVER, DANIEL M., was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 6th, 1823. He was a brother to Solomon, the minister. In 1844 he came to this county and resided, most of the time, in the towns of Berlin and Waterloo. He was married to Mary Fry who was born August 12th, 1829, and died October 27th, 1867. After her decease he was married to Sarah Doeling who died June 5th, 1889. He has a family of six sons who are still living. Their names are as follows:

7671 VI WEAVER, ALLAN, is a tailor and resides in California, U. S.

7672 VI WEAVER, AMASA, is a shoemaker and resides in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

7673 VI WEAVER, WALTER, is a printer and resides in Detroit, Michigan.

7674 VI WEAVER, TITUS, is in military school at London, Ontario.

7675 VI WEAVER, REUBEN, is a tailor and resides in Berlin, Ontario.

7676 VI WEAVER, FREDERICK, is with his uncle, John Doeling, in Wallace, Perth County, Ontario, where he is attending school and during the summer months assists on the farm.

7677 III WEBER, PETER, the sixth child of Christian and Magdalena (Rutt) Weber, was born in the year 1760. He was married to Elizabeth Wenger and resided near the old homestead in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Their family consisted of eleven children, viz:

7678 IV WEBER, JOHN, the eldest son of Peter and Elizabeth (Wenger) Weber, was born March 20th, 1786, and was married, March 18th, 1806, to Catherine, daughter of Benjamin Gehman. She was born March 11th, 1782, and died June 2nd, 1864. They resided in Earl Township, Lancaster County, until 1825 when they moved to Canada. They left their home April 7th, and arrived at the farm now possessed by Joseph M. Brubacher, two miles north-east of the town of Waterloo, on the 26th day of same month. Shortly after their arrival they located on a farm in the township of Woolwich, about one mile south of Conestogo. The farm is now possessed by Aaron Sheifley. Here old John Weber resided until his death which took place January 21st, 1854. Mr. Weber was a deacon of the Mennonite body when he came to Canada. In July, 1833, he was ordained at the Martin Mennonite Meeting House as minister of the Mennonites by Bishop Benjamin Eby. He was considered a good speaker and ranked among the foremost of the ministers of his day. Their family consisted of ten children, all born in Pennsylvania. The names of three of the children are not given, they died when quite young, none being more than five days old. Those whose names were given were as follows:

7679 V WEBER, VERONICA, the eldest daughter of John and Catherine (Gehman) Weber, was born July 19th, 1808. She was married to John Eby,

druggist of Berlin, and died December 10th, 1837. See John Eby's family.

7680 V WEBER, JOEL, the eldest son of John and Catherine (Gehman) Weber, was born October 4th, 1809, and died March 23rd, 1834. He was married to Magdalena Good and had one daughter, viz:

7681 VI WEBER, LYDIA, was married to George W. Eby, but died a few years ago. Their home was at Locke, Indiana. She left one heir, a daughter named VII Lydia.

7682 V WEBER, PETER, the second son of John and Catherine Weber, was born December 10th, 1810, and died February 12th, 1876. He was married to Catherine Bear, sister to old John Bear. They resided in Iowa, and had quite a large family but names of children were not received.

7683 V WEBER, CATHERINE, the second daughter of John and Catherine Weber, was born April 28th, 1812, and died December 2nd, 1890. She was married to Martin Eby, March 3rd, 1832. See Martin Eby's family.

7684 V WEBER, NANCY, the third daughter of John and Catherine Weber, was born June 3rd, 1814, and died October 2nd, 1889. She was unmarried and had her home with John Sitler's where she died.

7685 V WEBER, LYDIA, the fourth daughter of John and Catherine Weber, was born September 8th, 1816, and died November 14th, 1857. She was married to David Gingerich and resided on Solomon Sheifley's farm. See David Gingerich's family.

7686 V WEBER, JOHN C., the third son of John and Catherine Weber, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County,

Pennsylvania, February 17th, 1818, and came to Canada when he was seven years of age. He had his home with his parents who resided on the farm now possessed by Aaron Sheifley, a little south of the village of Conestogo. On January 21st, 1840, he was married to Mary, daughter of Nathan and Veronica (Bechtel) Clemens. She was born July 23rd, 1823. After their marriage they moved on his father's farm for two years. In 1842 they moved on lot No. 50, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township, thence on a farm near Hawksville, and from this place to Upper Woolwich where they resided until 1881 when they moved to West Montrose where they still reside. He was an auctioneer for 21 years, from 1851 to 1872. Their family consisted of fourteen children, viz:

7687 VI WEBER, LYDIA, was born June 6th, 1841. She is married to Fred Kumpf. They reside in West Montrose, Ontario. He is a cooper by trade. Their family consists of four children, namely: VII Amelia, VII Mary, VII John, and VII Elizabeth.

7688 VI WEBER, ELIZABETH, was born November 6th, 1842. She is married to Benjamin B. Martin. They reside on a farm in the township of Peel, Wellington County, Ontario. They have had seven children, but all died except one. Their names were VII Jacob (dead), VII Moses (dead), VII Elias, married to Barbara Brubacher, and four who died, aged only a few hours, names not received.

7689 VI WEBER, MOSES, was born July 11th, 1844. He is married to Catherine Funk. At present they reside in Elmwood, Ontario. They have no family. In 1873 he entered the ministry of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ Church. Had circumstances placed him in a different sphere where libraries and good schools had surrounded him in his younger years, he might now rank with our best and most renowned ministers of the day. He has attained for himself the merited distinction of being considered more than an ordinary theologian. He preaches

in the German language only. He has rendered good service for his Master. Many a heart-cheering sermon he has preached during the last twenty years. He is exceedingly entertaining in his ordinary conversations. In his delivery of a sermon no claim to oratory is made. It is a great pity that he is not capable of preaching in the English language.

7690 VI WEBER, CATHARINE, was born April 18th, 1846. She is married to David Martin, a farmer. They reside in Wellesley Township, on Peel Township-line, and have a large family, namely: VII Leah, VII Solomon, VII Aaron, VII Mary, VII Esther, VII David, VII John, VII Catherine, VII Lovina, VII Josiah, VII Jacob, and VII Elizabeth.

7691 VI WEBER, VERONICA, was born July 17th, 1847. She is married to David Geiger, a farmer. They reside in the township of Wallace, Perth County. They have four children, namely: VII Caroline, VII Hannah, VII John, and VII Daniel.

7692 VI WEBER, NATHAN, was born February 5th, 1849, and died February 21st, 1864.

7693 VI WEBER, HANNAH, was born March 9th, 1851, and died December 29th, 1881. She was married to Joseph Becker, a farmer. They resided in Arran Township, Bruce County, Ontario, and had a family of three children, viz: VII Matilda, married to a Mr. Eby, VII Aaron, and VII Amos.

7694 VI WEBER, MARY, was born May 20th, 1853. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

7695 VI WEBER, JOEL, was born May 14th, 1855, and is married but name of his wife was not received. He is a blacksmith by trade. They reside at Remus, Michigan, and have no family.

7696 VI WEBER, AMOS, was born March 21st, 1857.

He is a waggon maker by trade and resides in Elmwood, Ontario. Some time ago he was married to Susannah Meuser. Their family consists of five children, namely: VII Alberta, VII Elma, and three whose names were not received.

7697 VI WEBER, NANCY, was born May 24th, 1858. She is married to William Rodgers. They reside in the town of Galt where he is engaged in the Electro shop. They have a family of six children, namely: VII Edna, VII Arthur, VII Anson, VII James, VII Ella (dead), and VI Hazel.

7698 VI WEBER, JESSE, was born June 30th, 1860. He resides in Henry County, Illinois, where he is engaged in farming. He is unmarried.

7699 VI WEBER, REBECCA, was born December 21st, 1862, and died February 23rd, 1864.

7700 VI WEBER, SARAH, was born August 27th, 1864. She is married to John A. Scherer, a farmer. They reside in Ayr, Michigan, and have four children, namely: VII John Wesley, VII Violet, VII Albert, and VII James Anton.

7701 IV WEBER, MARY, was born September 22nd, 1787, and was married to a Mr. Gehman.

7702 IV WEBER, MAGDALENA, was born September 1st, 1789, and was married to a Mr. Stauffer.

7703 IV WEBER, SOLOMON, was born April 10th, 1791, and was married but name not received.

7704 IV WEBER, ISAAC, was born September 11th, 1792, and was married to a Miss Wenger.

7705 IV WEBER, JOEL, was born November 8th, 1794. Died unmarried.

7706 IV WEBER, ANNA, was born January 2nd, 1797. Died unmarried.

7707 IV WEBER, BARBARA, was born October 16th, 1798, and was married to Abraham Gehardt.

7708 IV WEBER, PETER, the fifth son of Peter and Elizabeth (Wenger) Weber, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 11th, 1801. In 1822 he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Zimmerman) Wenger. She was born February 11th, 1805. On April 7th, 1825, they, in company with his brother John and family, left Earl Township and moved to Canada, arriving on the farm now possessed by Joseph M. Brubacher, two miles north-east of the town of Waterloo, on the 26th of the same month. They located on the "Peter Musselman Farm" a little north of Conestogo, in the township of Woolwich. Here they resided until their deaths. They had a family of eighteen children. The two eldest were born in Pennsylvania. The names of the children are as follows:

7709 V WEBER, ISRAEL, was born September 2nd, 1823, and died October 15th, 1849.

7710 V WEBER, JONAS, second son of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born November 8th, 1824. He was married to Barbara, daughter of Louis and Catherine (Dattzet) Ziegler, in 1848. She was born July 18th, 1821. They resided on a farm nearly two miles north-west of St. Jacobs where he died January 16th, 1875. They had a family of seven children, viz:

7711 VI WEBER, MARIA, was born July 18th, 1849. She is unmarried and has her home with her mother who still resides on the old homestead.

7712 VI WEBER, DANIEL, was born July 24th, 1851. He was married to Augusta, daughter of Henry and Magdalena (Allemang) Cookman, December 25th,

1881. They reside with his mother on the old homestead. Their family consists of two sons, namely: VII Aaron, born October 7th, 1882, and VII Leander, born March 10th, 1889.

7713 VI WEBER, NOAH, was born July 18th, 1853, and died January 18th, 1855.

7714 VI WEBER, CATHERINE, was born March 29th, 1855, and died September 11th, 1860.

7715 VI WEBER, ELIZABETH, was born February 25th, 1858. She is a dressmaker and has her place of business in St. Jacobs, Ontario. Lately she was married to John Dierlamm.

7716 VI WEBER, LOVINA, was born June 14th, 1860. She is unmarried and has her home with her mother.

7717 VI WEBER, LOUISA, the youngest member in the family, was born May 15th, 1863, and died January 24th, 1888. She was unmarried.

7718 V WEBER, ZIMMERMAN, third son of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born May 3rd, 1826, and died June 13th, 1893. He had his home at Henry Detweiler's in Stanley Township, Huron County, where he died. He was unmarried.

7719 V WEBER, PETER, the fourth son of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born December 26th, 1827. He was married and resided in Urbana, Ohio, where he and his wife died. Their children all died young.

7720 V WEBER, ISAAC, was born at Conestogo, Waterloo County, Ontario, September 19th, 1829. On April 13th, 1851, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Rev. Henry and Mary (Kaufmann) Shuh. She was born at Natchez, near

Berlin, Waterloo County, November 29th, 1829, and died July 10th, 1893. After their marriage they moved to Conestogo where he was engaged in the wagon and carriage building business, and also carried on blacksmithing in connection. In 1868 he retired from business and moved on a farm in Howick Township, Huron County, Ontario, where they resided until their deaths. In 1871 he was ordained as a minister of the Mennonite body which position he held until his death. He was a good man, a kind father, and a popular minister. As a rule he generally had the satisfaction to preach to well filled houses. His sermons were short and pointed. Many a weary pilgrim was encouraged to continue his service in the Lord's vineyard, while sinners were convinced of their folly of thus continuing their careless lives and were persuaded to quit sin and follow Christ. The church lost a good worker when he passed away, but let us hope that our loss proved to be his eternal gain. He died February 5th, 1892. They had a family of eight children, viz:

7721 VI WEBER, EZRA, was born in Conestogo, April 1st, 1852. He is married to Catherine Rapp and resides in Wallace Township, Perth County, where he is engaged in farming. His post office is Gowanstown.

7722 VI WEBER, JOHN, was born in Conestogo, June 29th, 1854. He is married to Elizabeth Brant and resides in Howick Township, Huron County. His post office is New Bridge.

7723 VI WEBER, SIMEON, was born in Conestogo, November 13th, 1856, and died November 20th, 1856.

7724 VI WEBER, MENNO, was born in Conestogo, January 6th, 1858. On January 28th, 1879, he was married to Sarah Ann Knipe. She was born in Pennsylvania and came to Ontario with her parents when eight years of age. At present they reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged as trav-

elling agent for The Waterloo Manufacturing Company. They have a family of eight children, viz:

7725 VII WEBER, URIAS, was born in Wallace Township, November 28th, 1879.

7726 VII WEBER, MAGDALENA, was born in Wallace Township, July 15th, 1881.

7727 VII WEBER, ANNIE SOPHIA, was born in Wallace Township, May 24th, 1883.

7728 VII WEBER, CLARA LOVINA, was born in Wallace Township, December 27th, 1884.

7729 VII WEBER, NORMAN, was born in Wallace Township, December 12th, 1886.

7730 VII WEBER, MARY EDNA, was born in Wallace Township, June 9th, 1888.

7731 VII WEBER, IRWIN, was born in the town of Waterloo, May 1st, 1891.

7732 VII WEBER, MABEL, was born in the town of Waterloo, May 14th, 1893.

7733 VI WEBER, ELIZABETH, was born in Conestogo, April 26th, 1860. She is unmarried.

7734 VI WEBER, URIAS, was born in Conestogo, September 21st, 1862, and died March 3rd, 1864.

7735 VI WEBER, SARAH, was born November 10th, 1864. She is unmarried.

7736 VI WEBER, LOVINA, was born in Wallace Township, December 5th, 1868. She is unmarried.

7737 V WEBER, JOSEPH, the sixth son of Peter and Elizabeth (Wenger) Weber, was born November 10th, 1831. He was married to Mary Cole who died

September 6th, 1890. They resided on a farm near Winterbourne. Their family consisted of ten children, viz:

7738 VI WEBER, CLARISSA, was born July 23rd, 1853, and died October 22nd, 1854.

7739 VI WEBER, PHOEBE J., was born February 12th, 1855. She is married to J. W. Fear, a merchant. They reside in the town of Waterloo, Ontario, and have a family of three children, namely: VII Mabel E., VII Maurice L., and VII Weber S.

7740 VI WEBER, FRANKLIN C., was born December 10th, 1856. He is married to Maggie Gerrie. They reside at Orillia, Ontario, where he is engaged as a carriage builder. To them are born four children, namely: VII Neal, VII Dora E., VII Hugh, and VII Maurice.

7741 VI WEBER, AGNES A., was born August 24th, 1859. She is married to D. E. McCreery, a farmer. They reside at Diamond Springs, Michigan. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Mary L., VII John L., and VII Anna O.

7742 VI WEBER, ELMINA E., was born March 3rd, 1861. She is married to William Cooper, a millwright. They reside in Baden, Ontario, and have a family of two children, VII William G. and VII Mars E.

7743 VI WEBER, ISABELLA, was born January 19th, 1863. She resides in Hamilton, Michigan, where she is engaged as a dressmaker.

7744 VI WEBER, HERMAN C., was born June 20th, 1865. He is unmarried and resides in Chicago, Illinois, where he is engaged as a carpenter.

7745 VI WEBER, ALLAN WILLIAM, was born Octo-

ber 26th, 1868. He is unmarried and resides in Chicago where he is engaged as a carpenter.

7746 VI WEBER, MAURICE E., was born July 7th, 1871. He is in Berlin, Ontario, where he is engaged as a harness maker. He is not married.

7747 VI WEBER, ZULEMA, was born April 26th, 1875. She follows teaching and resides in Hamilton, Michigan.

7748 V WEBER, VERONICA, the eldest daughter of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born June 7th, 1833, and died an infant.

7749 V WEBER, MARY, the second daughter of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born October 20th, 1834. On October 20th, 1855, she was married to Aaron Weber. See Aaron Weber's family.

7750 V WEBER, ELIZABETH, the third daughter of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born February 3rd, 1836. She died an infant.

7751 V WEBER, ELI, the seventh son of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born September 10th, 1837, and died at Caledonia, Michigan, in 1882. He was married to Eliza Meyer. They had no family.

7752 V WEBER, MAGDALENA, was born June 14th, 1839. She died an infant.

7753 V WEBER, JOHN, was born June 15th, 1840. He died an infant.

7754 V WEBER, SUSANNAH, was born December 3rd, 1841. She died young.

7755 V WEBER, ANNA, was born March 31st, 1843. She is married to Dilman, son of Benjamin Snyder. They reside in Conestogo. To them was born no

family but they have adopted children whom they raise.

7756 V WEBER, LYDIA, was born June 13th, 1844. She died quite young.

7757 V WEBER, CATHARINE, was born November 15th, 1846. On October 28th, 1864, she was married to Henry, son of George D. and Nancy Shoemaker. They resided in the village of Conestogo where he died of typhoid fever, November 24th, 1877. See Henry Shoemaker's family.

7758 V WEBER, LOVINA, the youngest daughter of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born February 25th, 1848, and died in 1858.

7759 V WEBER, HIRAM, the youngest son of Peter and Elizabeth Weber, was born at Conestogo, May 31st, 1850. He is unmarried and has his home with his sister, Annie, who is married to Dillman Snyder who resides in Conestogo, Ontario.

7760 IV WEBER, VERONICA, was born March 15th, 1804, and was married to a Mr. Rife.

7761 IV WEBER, JACOB, was born July 22nd, 1808. He was never married.

7762 III WEBER, JOHN, was married to Veronica Sensenig.

7763 III WEBER, ELIZABETH, was married to John Huber, grandfather to John Huber of Waterloo.

7764 III WEBER, MAGDALENA, was married to a Mr. Martin.

7765 III WEBER, JOSEPH, seventh son of Christian and Magdalena (Ruth) Weber, was born in Earl

Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He was married to Anna Burkholder. They had a numerous family but names of children have not been handed to the writer. We know that one son was named IV David B.

7766 IV WEBER, DAVID B., was born November 2nd, 1800, and emigrated to Canada when quite a young man while the others of the family remained in Pennsylvania. Here he was married to Mary Lyons who was born May 19th, 1803, and died July 10th, 1871. They resided on a farm near Strasburg, now in possession of their son, Noah. Their family consisted of fifteen children, viz:

7767 V WEBER, JOSEPH, was born August 9th, 1822, and died March 2nd, 1876. He was married to Anna, daughter of Henry and Salome (Baumann) Weber, October 22nd, 1845. She was born November 19th, 1824, and died October 13th, 1886. They resided on part of lot No. 64, German Company's Tract, Waterloo County. The farm is now possessed by John S. Brubacher who is married to one of their adopted daughters. They had no family of their own but raised four children, namely: Susannah Kinzie who was born April 24th, 1847, and was married to Joshua Snyder; Anna Edy who was born March 24th, 1854, and married to John S. Brubacher; Jane Elbert who was born April 1st, 1863, and died August 26th, 1863; and Catharine Magdalena Murphy who is married to Samuel K. Brubacher. On June 26th, 1868, Mr. Weber was ordained as deacon of the Mennonite body. He held this position until his death which took place March 2nd, 1876.

7768 V WEBER, ELIZABETH, was born August 23rd, 1823. On September 5th, 1843, she was married to David S. Wismer who was born June 3rd, 1823, and died August 2nd, 1884. They had a family of seven children. See David S. Wismer's family.

7769 V WEBER, MARY, was born February 3rd, 1825. She is married to Rev. Levi Wildfong who was born August 11th, 1827. They reside in Tavistock, Ontario. See Rev. Levi Wildfong's family.

7770 V WEBER, LYDIA, was born November 21st, 1826. She was married to Joseph Snyder in 1853. He was born June 27th, 1827. They reside on a farm three miles east of Winterbourne. See Joseph Snyder's family.

7771 V WEBER, DAVID, was born January 16th, 1828, and died December 28th, 1840.

7772 V WEBER, MOSES, was born October 31st, 1829. He was first married to Veronica, daughter of Joseph Wildfong of Strasburg, Ontario. She was born June 28th, 1835. They resided in the township of Woolwich, near Heidelberg, where she died in 1871. After her decease he was married to Wilhelmine Kercher. They now reside in Brown City, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VI Polly, VI Lydia, VI Rebecca, VI Amanda, VI David, VI Joseph, VI Elizabeth, VI Mary Ann, VI Hannah, and VI Daniel of first wife, and VI Veronica, VI Rosa, VI Anna, and a son whose name was not received, of second wife.

7773 V WEBER, SOLOMON, was born at Strasburg, Ontario, December 31st, 1831. He resided in the township of Woolwich, north of Elmira, on the farm lately owned by Henry Groff. He died October 10th, 1871. He was married to Emma Elizabeth Grey. Their family consisted of six children, viz:

7774 VI WEBER, MENNO G., the eldest son, was born March 22nd, 1856. His boyhood days were spent on his father's farm. When quite a young man he commenced clerking in a

store. On July 28th, 1882, a partnership was formed with Alonzo Erb under the name of Weber & Erb, as dealers in general merchandise. Their place of business is in Elmira, one of our liveliest and most business-like incorporated villages in Canada. Their business still continues and is in a flourishing condition. Mr. Weber is unmarried and has his home with his sister.

7775 VI WEBER, MARY, was born September 14th, 1857. She is married to Jacob Winger, woollen manufacturer. They reside in Elmira. Their family consists of two children, namely: VII Raymond and VII Russell.

7776 VI WEBER, SUSANNAH, was born December 23rd, 1861. She is married to William Behrens who is clerk in Weber & Erb's store. They reside in Elmira and have a family of five children, namely: VII Betram, VII Edith, VII Norma Bell, VII Ralph, and VII Beatrice.

7777 VI WEBER, EMMA, was born November 30th, 1864. She is unmarried.

7778 VI WEBER, ANNA, was born April 6th, 1869. She is married to Alvah Devitt. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged in the drug business. Their family consists of two children named VII Gladys Emma, and VII Edward Blake.

7779 VI WEBER, EDITH, was born August 20th, 1871. She has her home with her mother.

7780 V WEBER, AARON, was born September 20th, 1833. On October 20th, 1855, he was married to Mary Weber who was born October 20th, 1834. She is a daughter of Peter and Elizabeth (Wenger) Weber. In January, 1856, they moved on part of lot No. 102, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township, north-west of Elmira. Here they have resided ever

since. He has been one of the councillors for the township of Woolwich for a number of years, and has been first deputy reeve since January, 1891. They have a family of six children, viz:

7781 VI WEBER, MATILDA, was born September 8th, 1858. On March 29th, 1882, she was married to Reuben, son of Henry Snider of Bloomingdale. They possess a beautiful farm about a mile east of Conestogo where they reside. Their family consists of one child named VII Emerson.

7782 VI WEBER, EPHRAIM, was born July 27th, 1859. On March 20th, 1883, he was married to Leah, daughter of David S. Snyder, near Elmira. They reside on his father-in-law's farm. Their family consists of four children, namely: VII Clayton, VII Allan, VII Laura, and VII Lucinda.

7783 VI WEBER, REUBEN, was born April 23rd, 1863. On March 23rd, 1886, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of John Bricker near Hawksville, Ontario. They reside on a farm in the township of Peel, Wellington County, near Glenallen. They have one daughter named VII Clara.

7784 VI WEBER, JOSIAH, was born October 13th, 1864. On March 26th, 1889, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Benjamin Lichty. They reside on west end of lot No. 102, German Company's Tract, Woolwich Township, being half of his father's lot. They have two sons named VII Nelson and VII Orton.

7785 VI WEBER, SIDNEY, was born June 11th, 1868. On March 18th, 1891, he was married to Caroline, daughter of Christian Wanner. They reside on the old homestead with his parents and have had three children, namely: VII Nellie and VII Elsie (dead) (twins), and VII Elizabeth.

7786 VI WEBER, ISRAEL, was born January 18th, 1873. He is unmarried and is engaged in farming with his brother on the old homestead.

7787 V WEBER, NOAH, was born September 24th, 1835. He was married, April 4th, 1858, to Elizabeth, daughter of Tobias and Magdalena (Bechtel) Kolb. She was born August 15th, 1834, and died April 12th, 1885. They resided near Strasburg, Ontario, on his father's old homestead where she died. Here they raised a family of eight children, viz:

7788 VI WEBER, MANASSEH, was born January 1st, 1859. He was married to Lydia Gabel and resided on a farm, near Trussler's saw mill, where he died April 15th, 1893, from an injury received by a limb falling on his head while being engaged in the bush. He left a family of five children, namely: VI Isabella, VII Lovina, VII Noah, VII Gordon, and VII Magdalena.

7789 VI WEBER, HANNAH, was born December 28th, 1859. She is married to Samuel Brado, a farmer. They reside at South River, Muskoka. Their family consists of one child named VII Vietta.

7790 VI WEBER, AMANDA, was born December 20th, 1860. She is married to Frederick Krampin, a farmer. They reside at May City, Iowa. To them were born the following children, namely: VII Elsie, VII Lillie, VII Minerva, VII Ermina, VII Hannah, VII Vietta, and VII Emma.

7791 VI WEBER, MENNO, was born April 16th, 1862, and died July 22nd, 1864.

7792 VI WEBER MAGDALENA, was born October 12th, 1864. She is married to George Ament, a

farmer. They reside at Port Elgin, Ontario, and have the following family, namely: VII Herbert (dead), VII Allan, VII Noah, VII Edgar, VII Oscar, and a son whose name was not received.

7793 VI WEBER, MARIAH, was born June 28th, 1866. She is married to Edward Doepel, a cabinet maker. They reside at Wiarton, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Edgar, VII John, VII Ada, and VII Violet.

7794 VI WEBER, EPHRAIM, was born April 15th, 1868. He is married to Lizzie Bergey and resides on his father's farm at Strasburg, Ontario. To them were born two children, namely: VII Laomi (dead) and VI Oscar (dead).

7795 VI WEBER, LUCINDA, was born September 18th, 1871. She is unmarried and resides with her father at Strasburg.

7796 VII WEBER, BERTHA, was born August 15th, 1878. She is at home with Lucinda, assisting her to perform the various duties connected with the managing of home to make it comfortable.

7797 V WEBER, MENNO, was born September 30th, 1837, and died December 19th, 1840.

7798 V WEBER, SUSANNAH, was born February 2nd, 1840. On October 13th, 1861, she was married to Alexander Shoemaker a farmer. They reside near Berlin, Ontario. See Alexander Shoemaker's family.

7799 V WEBER, CHRISTIAN, was born August 23rd, 1841, and died September 17th, 1841.

7800 V WEBER, NANCY, was born November 11th,

1842. On April 19th, 1864, she was married to E. W. B. Snider. See E. W. B. Snyder's family.

7801 V WEBER, ABRAHAM L., was born November 22nd, 1844. On March 6th, 1866, he was married to Elizabeth Hagey who was born November 17th, 1843. They reside in Perth County, Ontario, near Listowel, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born five children, namely: VI Malinda, VI Addison, VI William, VI Simon, and VI Zelena.

7802 V WEBER, AMOS L., twin brother to Abraham, was born November 22nd, 1844. On August 11th, 1867, he was married to Magdalena Weber who was born February 21st, 1846, and died near Listowel, Ontario, September 16th, 1884. After her decease he was again married to Margaret Kaufman, widow of the late Mr. Bender. Mr. Weber resides in Wallace Township, Perth County, near Listowel, where he is engaged in farming. To him and his first wife were born the following children, namely: VI Mary Ann, VI Ida, VI Allan, VI Albert, VI Lucinda, VI Menno, and VI Solomon.

7803 III WEBER, ESTHER, was married to a Mr. Mosser. She was a grandmother to Mrs. Henry Baumann, Heidelburg.

7804 III WEBER, MARY, was married to a Mr. Horst.

7805 III WEBER, GEORGE, was never married.

7806 III WEBER, ANNIE, was married to Samuel Springer. No family.

7807 III WEBER, MARIA, was never married.

7808 III WEBER, SUSANNAH, was never married.

7809 III WEBER, VERONICA, died in infancy.

7810 III WEBER, SAMUEL, son of George Weber who was born in 1723, and grandson of old Hannes Weber, a native of Switzerland, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 7th, 1769. He resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was engaged in farming. In 1795 he was married to Maria Eby who was born in the same county, September 15th, 1772, and died December 24th, 1849. He died May 29th, 1850. To them was born a family of several children. The names of three sons were IV Moses, IV Samuel, and IV Abraham. The descendants of Samuel and Abraham are found in Pennsylvania and Western States.

7811 IV WEBER, MOSES, was born February 8th, 1797. On August 3rd, 1819, he was married to Anna, daughter of Jacob and Maria (Martin) Stauffer. She was born October 25th, 1799, and died October 1st, 1833. After her decease he was again married, November 15th, 1836, to Rachel Lindeman who was born September 6th, 1815. After his first marriage he settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was engaged as a farmer until the year 1825 when he sold out and on April 25th, same year, he left his native home and moved to Canada, arriving at Blair, Ontario, May 15th following, where he rented the "Eshleman Farm" for three years, then, in 1828, he moved to Woolwich Township, near Heidelburg, on the farm now possessed by Christian L. Weber. Here he followed farming for four years, then he moved to Preston, Ontario, where he resided until 1838 when he moved to Dundas, Ontario, where he was proprietor of the "Red Lion" Hotel for a number of years. His death took place July 26th, 1854. His family consisted of ten children,* of whom the eldest seven were born unto his first wife. Names of children are as follows:

7812 V WEAVER, MARY, was born July 23rd, 1820. On March 10th, 1835, she was married to Martin Ilges. They resided in Clark County, Ohio, where both died, leaving a family of five children, namely: VI Moses (dead), VI Sarah, VI Jeremiah, and two others whose names were not received.

* This branch of the family spell their name "Weaver,"

7813 V WEAVER, AMOS, was born February 20th, 1822. On January 26th, 1844, he was married to Polly Baumann who was born January 7th, 1826, and died March 21st, 1873. After her decease he was married to Magdalena Oberholtzer who was born August 12th, 1834, and died April 12th, 1883. Some time after his second wife's decease he was married to Caroline Knipple, a widow. After his first marriage he settled near Freeport, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming until the decease of his first wife, and with his second wife he lived in Bloomingdale on her father's farm. At present he resides in the town of Berlin. To him and his first wife was born a family of ten children, viz:

7814 VI WEAVER, ANGELINE, was born April 9th, 1845. She is married to Charles S. Boehmer, a manufacturer. They reside in Berlin and have a family of four children, namely: VII Alfred, VII Nelson, VII Rachel, and VII Harvey.

7815 VI WEAVER, EMANUEL, was born May 30th, 1846. He is married to Lydia Sararas and resides in Emmet County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: VII Allan, VII Angeline, VII Edwin, VII Lizzie, VII Caroline, VII Lloyd, and a son (dead) whose name was not received.

7816 VI WEAVER, JOHN H., was born September 25th, 1847, and died September 9th, 1848.

7817 VI WEAVER, NANCY, was born May 15th, 1849. She is married to Ephraim Snyder, a farmer. They reside at Pierre, Dakota, and have a family of four children, namely: VII Edna, VII Milton, VII Emma, and VII Howard.

7818 VI WEAVER, MOSES, was born December 21st, 1850. He was married to Mary Snyder who died in July, 1895. They resided in Emmet County,

Michigan, where he was engaged in farming. Their children are as follows, namely: VII Roy, VII Leonard, VII Amos, VII Varna, and VII Mary Susannah.

7819 VI WEAVER, JACOB B., was born September 25th, 1852. He is married to Henrietta Cook. They reside in Berlin. He is engaged as book-keeper with Wegenast & Co., Waterloo. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Charles, VII Harvey (dead), VII Addie, and VII Ralph.

7820 VI WEAVER, MARY, was born May 7th, 1854. She is married to Titus B. Snyder, a traveller. They reside at Petoskey, Michigan. To them are born six children, namely: VII Laura (dead), VII Leona, VII Elsie, VII Mabel, VII Alton (dead), and VII Harvey (dead).

7821 VI WEAVER, RACHEL, was born June 4th, 1856. She is unmarried and at home with her father.

7822 VI WEAVER, MARTHA ELIZABETH, was born July 13th, 1858. She is unmarried and is at home with her father.

7823 VI WEAVER, EMMA, was born August 14th, 1865. She is married to Charles Dunke, a merchant. They reside in Berlin and have a family of two children, namely: VII Roy (dead) and VII Bessie.

7824 V WEAVER, LEVI S., was born December 17th, 1823. On April 24th, 1849, he was married to Roxie Cornell. At present they reside in the city of Toronto. To them were born six children, namely: VI Moses, died December 25th, 1864, VI Samuel, died July 3rd, 1888, VI Phoebe, VI Harriet Vestella, died August 1st, 1889, VI Martha, and VI Bella.

7825 V WEAVER, ANNA, was born October 5th, 1825, and was married to Isaac Hoch, January 26th, 1844. They resided at Jordan, Lincoln County, Ontario, where he died. After the decease of Mr. Hoch, she was married to Isaac Moyer. At the time of her death she left a family of five children, namely: VI Susannah H. and VI Anna H. of her first husband, and VI Moses M., VI Angeline M., and VI Sarah M. of her second husband.

7826 V WEAVER, SAMUEL S., was born January 20th, 1828. He was first married to Lydia Bowman and after her decease to Esther Detweiler. He died in Berlin, March 13th, 1880, leaving a family of four children, namely: VI Angus and VI Astor of first wife, and VI Ella and VI Findlay of second wife.

7827 V WEAVER, JACOB S., was born May 16th, 1830. He was married to Mary Plantz. They resided in Berlin where he was the proprietor of the Commercial Hotel for many years. He died November 18th, 1882. His family consisted of two children, namely: VI Clara, married to Franklin Kurt, and VI Jennie who died December 1st, 1887.

7828 V WEAVER, MAGDALENA, was born March 18th, 1832. She was first married to Alexander Moore and resided in Plattsville, Ontario, where he died. She now resides in Preston, Ontario, and is married to Abraham Detweiler. Her family consists of two children, namely: VI Sarah and VI Helen. No issue of second marriage.

7829 V WEAVER, SUSANNAH L., was born December 23rd, 1836, and died March 30th, 1840.

7830 V WEAVER, SARAH L., was born November 30th, 1838. She is married to William Ervin. They

reside in Hamilton, Ontario, and have the following family, namely: VI Minnie, VI Jessie (dead), VI Rachel, VI Bessie, and VI Hattie.

7831 V WEAVER, HARRIETTA, was born October 16th, 1840. She resides in Dundas, Ontario, and is married to Findlay Smith. To them were born four children, namely: VI William, VI James, VI George, and VI Hattie.

7832 II WEBER, HENRY, son of Heiner Weber and brother to old Christian Weber, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, in 1728. He was married to a Miss Hershey,† sister to his brother Christian's wife. They resided in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, on the old Weber homestead. To them were born several children, namely: III Henry, III Daniel, and three daughters whose names were not received. We shall here follow the descendants of III Henry Weber who was born in 1757 and was married to Veronica Hershey.* They resided on the old Weber homestead near Blue Ball, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. To them was born a family of seven children, namely: IV Benjamin, IV Abraham, IV David, IV Henry, IV Franklin, IV Daniel, and IV John. Of the named family the three sons, David, Franklin, and John, never lived in Canada. Their descendants are to be found in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, while the remaining four sons, namely, Benjamin, Abraham, Henry, and Daniel, moved to Canada during the beginning of the present century and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where their numerous descendants are to be found. We shall now give their descendants in their proper order.

7833 IV WEBER, BENJAMIN, the eldest son of Henry and Veronica (Hershey) Weber, was born near Blue Ball, Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 2nd, 1786. He was married to Veronica Martin, April 28th, 1806. She was

† It seems the Webers took an extra fancy for the Hershey women.
* A niece to the two Hersheys married to the two elder Webers.

born May 24th, 1784, and died April 11th, 1859. In 1817, in company with others, they, with their family, left Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and moved to the wilds of Canada, and located on lot No. 8, German Company's Tract, Waterloo County, Ontario, where they resided until their deaths. He died January 21st, 1863. To them was born a family of seven children, viz:

7834 V WEBER, HENRY, the eldest in family, was born October 31st, 1807. He had his home with his parents one and one-half miles north of the town of Waterloo where he died March 10th, 1853. He was not married.

7835 V WEBER, ANNA, eldest daughter of Benjamin and Veronica Weber, was born July 30th, 1809. She was married to Elias, son of Bishop Benjamin Eby. She died October 9th, 1877. See Elias Eby's family.

7836 V WEBER, DAVID, the second son of Benjamin and Veronica (Martin) Weber, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 22nd, 1811. When a mere lad he came to Canada with his parents, in 1817. He was raised a little to the north of the town of Waterloo where his father resided. The old home is now in possession of Joseph Weber, a grandson of old Benjamin Weber. He was married to Catherine Eby, February 3rd, 1833. She was a daughter of Bishop Benjamin Eby and was born July 25th, 1815, and died March 30th, 1867. After their marriage they moved on a farm now forming a part of the town of Berlin. In 1849 they left this place and moved three miles east of Berlin, on the farm (east end of lot No. 120, German Company's Tract) now possessed by his sons, Theodore and Henry. Here they resided until their deaths. He died September 17th, 1877. His family consisted of eleven children, viz:

7837 VI WEBER, BISHOP ELIAS, the eldest son of David and Catherine (Eby) Weber, was born in Berlin, February 22nd, 1834. His boyhood days were spent on his father's farm.

During the winter months he attended the common public schools. On March 20th, 1855, he was married to Mary Shoemaker. They now reside on the old "Kunniman Farm," one mile west of Breslau, on the Berlin Road. They have a family of nine children, namely: VII Sarah, died young; VII Simon, died young; VII Lovina, married to Jacob Woolner; VII Leah, died young; VII Nancy, married to Aaron Schiedel; VII Lydia, married to David Reist; VII Amos, married to Rosilla Wambold and resides at home with his father; VII Israel, and VII Mary. In his younger days he joined the church of his choice, the Mennonite, and a few years later he was chosen as a deacon. He was afterwards called to the ministry on the Cressman field of labor, and finally, upon the death of Bishop Joseph Hagey, he was ordained bishop. He is of a genial and sociable disposition, but guards himself against frivolity. He is generally well received by the people, beloved by all, and it may be said of him that he is one of those men who make for themselves many friends and few enemies. His talent as a minister compares favorably with that of the majority of our day. His education is rather limited, but he has studied and made good progress in the acquisition of Bible knowledge. His preaching is spiritual and at most times powerful and convincing, having great effect on the large audience generally present. That he has the confidence and high esteem of the whole congregation is evident from the fact that he was chosen as one of the candidates for the office of bishop. May he be spared for many years to come, and may his labors be crowned with glorious success in winning souls for the Lord.

7838 VI WEBER, SUSANNAH, the second child of David and Catherine (Eby) Weber, was born April 19th, 1836, and died August 7th, 1863. She was married to John Shuh. See John Shuh's family.

7839 VI WEBER, ANDREW, the third member of David Weber's family, was born August 3rd, 1838. The house in which he was born was situated on the exact spot where now is the Berlin depot of the Grand Trunk Railway. He is married

to Veronica, second eldest daughter of J. Y. Shantz of Berlin. Soon after their marriage they moved on his father's farm three miles east of Berlin where they remained until spring, 1872, when he moved on a farm situated halfway between Berlin and Bridgeport. Here they resided until fall, 1892, when they moved to Berlin. On April 10th, 1894, they, in company with others, moved to Didsbury, Alberta, N. W. T., where he has taken up land again and is following farming. They have a family of eight children, namely: VII Malissa (dead), VII Ellen (dead), VII Sabina, VII Ephraim, VII Manasseh, VII Elsie, VII Edwin, and VII Ivan. Sabina is with her grandfather, J. Y. Shantz, in Berlin; Ephraim is attending the Berlin High School, preparing himself for teacher in our High Schools; Elsie is at present in Calgary, Alberta; Manasseh is working at the carpenter trade at Didsbury, Alberta; Edwin is with his uncle, Ephraim Shantz, on a farm in the North-West, near Didsbury, Alberta; Ivan is home with his parents.

7840 VI WEBER, MARY, the fourth member of David Weber's family, was born November 25th, 1841. She is married to Moses Devitt. See Moses Devitt's family.

7841 VI WEBER, PETER E., was born September 21st, 1843. He is a practical miller, but owing to poor health cannot follow it steadily. On June 5th, 1870, he was married to Magdalena Clemens. She was born May 8th, 1844, and died October 5th, 1874. They had no family. He has his home with his brothers, Theodore and Henry E., who reside on the old Weber homestead. Lately he went into partnership with Amos Hilborn and purchased the East End Grist Mills of the town of Berlin where he is now engaged at his trade.

7842 VI WEBER, MAGDALENA, the sixth member of David and Catherine (Eby) Weber's family, was born February 21st, 1846. She died in Wallace

Township, Perth County, near Listowel, September 16th, 1884. She was married to Amos Weaver. See Amos Weaver's family.

7843 VI WEBER, VERONICA, the seventh child, was born in Berlin, April 21st, 1848. She is married to Jacob Kinzie. They reside a few miles north-west of Mildmay, Bruce County. See Jacob Kinzie's family.

7844 VI WEBER, THEODORE, the eighth member of David and Catherine (Eby) Weber's family, was born on the farm he now occupies, September 23rd, 1850. In the beginning of the year 1872 he was married to Sarah, daughter of Rev. Jacob Woolner. He is a farmer by occupation and resides on the old homestead of his parents. Their family consists of four children, namely: VII Susannah, VII Simon (dead), VII Celina, and VII Hannah.

7845 VI WEBER, HENRY E., the youngest son of David and Catherine (Eby) Weber, was born April 4th, 1853. Some years ago he and his brother, Theodore, purchased the old homestead from the respective heirs and are now both engaged in farming. Judging by the appearance of the place, they must make a success of farming in spite of the great depression in all the various kinds of business, and especially so in the low prices paid for all kinds of farm products. He is married to Anna, daughter of the late Jacob Zeller. They have a family of three children, namely: VII Ada Cecilia, VII Laura May, and VII Alpheus.

7846 VI WEBER, LUCINDA, was born September 6th, 1855. She is married to Eli C., youngest son of Eli C. and Anna (Cressman) Shantz. See Eli C. Shantz's family.

7847 VI WEBER, MATILDA twin sister to Lucinda was born September 6th, 1855. She is married to

Casper, son of Martin Schmidt, near Erbsville, Waterloo County, Ontario. They reside on the old "Green Farm" a few miles north of Preston. They have a family of five children, namely: VII Harvey, VII Milton (dead), VII Isaiah, VII Minerva, and VII Leander.

7848 V WEBER, BENJAMIN, the third son of Benjamin and Veronica (Martin) Weber, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 28th, 1813. He, when a mere lad, came to this county with his parents, in 1817, and was raised on the farm now possessed by Joseph S. Weber, his nephew, two miles north of the town of Waterloo. On March 1st, 1836, he was married to Anna, daughter of Isaac and Esther (Bechtel) Shantz. She was born August 11th, 1817. She has her home with her daughter, Anna (Mrs. N. Detweiler). After their marriage they moved on the west end of lot No. 113, German Company's Tract, where they resided until his death which took place November 30th, 1870. Their family consisted of ten children, viz:

7849 VI WEBER, VERONICA, the eldest daughter, was born October 30th, 1836. On January 6th, 1857, she was married to Daniel M. Weber. See Daniel M. Weber's family.

7850 VI WEBER, MENNO S., the eldest son, was born June 18th, 1838. On March 3rd, 1864, he was married to Rachel, daughter of Abraham D. and Veronica (Shantz) Clemens. She was born August 21st, 1842, and died September 18th, 1880. After their marriage they moved on the old "Elias Bowman Farm" one mile north of Breslau where they both died. He died December 28th, 1879. They had a family of two children, namely: VII Simon who died in infancy, and VII Lydia Ann who was married to Simon Schiedel and had a family of two children, named VIII Wesley and VIII Myra, when she died, June 3rd, 1890.

7851 VI WEBER, ISAAC S., was born May 12th, 1840. On October 11th, 1864, he was married to Catherine, daughter of Noah C. and Hannah (Baumann) Shantz. She was born August 17th, 1845. They reside about a mile south-east of Berlin, on the Preston Road where they have a comfortable home. They have no family but have raised several children, namely: Mary Weber, Louis Kramp, Willie Grant and several others.

7852 VI WEBER, ESTHER, the second daughter of Benjamin Weber, was born August 27th, 1842, and died April 7th, 1885. She was married to Isaac H. Moyer of Rosendale, near Bloomingdale. See Isaac H. Moyer's family.

7853 VI WEBER, BENJAMIN S., was born June 17th, 1844, and died January 6th, 1845.

7854 VI WEBER, AARON S., was born November 21st, 1845, and died August 20th, 1847.

7855 VI WEBER, NOAH S., was born September 20th, 1847. On March 3rd, 1872, he was married to Susannah, daughter of John Y. and Susannah (Scheirich) Shantz. She was born August 26th, 1850. He died March 19th, 1880. They had no family.

7856 VI WEBER, SIMON, was born April 28th, 1850, and died April 24th, 1863.

7857 VI WEBER, ANNA S., the youngest daughter of Benjamin and Anna (Shantz) Weber, was born March 10th, 1853. She is married to Noah B. (No. 2259), son of Rudolph and Susannah (Bingeman) Detweiler. They reside two miles south of Breslau, on the Preston Road, and have a family of six children, namely: VII Abbie, VII Mary Ann, VII Nancy, VII Allan (dead), VII Isaiah, and VII Norman.

7858 VI WEBER, ABRAHAM S., the youngest son of Benjamin and Anna (Shantz) Weber, was born November 15th, 1855. He is married to Esther, daughter of Jacob and Magdalena (Miller) Schiedel. They reside on a farm being composed of part of lot No. 113, German Company's Tract (part of his father's farm). They have a family of four children, namely: VII Allan, VII Isaac, VII Malinda, and VII Simon.

7859 V WEBER, JOHN, the fourth son of Benjamin and Veronica (Martin) Weber, was born in Earl Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 23rd, 1814. He was married to Susannah, daughter of John and Catherine (Sherk) Brubacher, April 9th, 1839. She was born June 28th, 1819, and died May 21st, 1891. They had a family of one child, viz:

7860 VI WEBER, VERONICA, was born November 25th, 1840. On May 14th, 1861, she was married to Benjamin, son of David and Magdalena (Martin) Horst. He was born September 18th, 1837, and died of Typhoid fever, October 26th, 1871. They resided on her father's farm near Breslau where she died. Their family consisted of two children named VII Susannah and VII Mary. See Benjamin Horst's family.

7861 V WEBER, MARY, the youngest daughter of Benjamin and Veronica (Martin) Weber, was born December 10th, 1815. In the year 1840 she was married to Jacob Brubacher and died April 20th, 1888. See Jacob Brubacher's family.

7862 V WEBER, JOSEPH, the youngest child of Benjamin and Veronica (Martin) Weber, was born in Waterloo County, Ontario, on the farm now possessed by his son, Joseph

S., June 11th, 1820. On November 14th, 1843, he was married to Veronica, daughter of Joseph and Catherine (Schneider) Shantz. She was born March 15th, 1822. Of late years they have given up farming and live alone in the house erected by his father, old Benjamin Weber. Their family consisted of thirteen children, of whom five died young. Their names are as follows:

7863 VI WEBER, BARBARA, the eldest in the family, was born July 20th, 1844. On August 24th, 1862, she was married to Isaac, son of David and Maria (Shelly) Stauffer. They reside in Peel Township, Wellington County, Ontario, near Glenallen. They are the owner of two beautiful farms. They have a family of eight children, namely: VII Zepheniah, married to Selina, daughter of David Koch of Conestogo; VII Ezra, VII Lucinda, VII Oliver, VII Lovina, married to Joseph, son of David Ernst; VII Ida, VII Ira, and VII Harvey.

7864 VI WEBER, ENOCH, was born October 2nd, 1845, and died September 11th, 1847.

7865 VI WEBER, CATHERINE, was born September 11th, 1847, and died March 23rd, 1863.

7866 VI WEBER, MARY ANN, was born April 18th, 1849, and died July 15th, 1850.

7867 VI WEBER, MENNO S., was born March 20th, 1851. On January 11th, 1874, he was married to Hannah, daughter of Jonas and Elizabeth (Brubacher) Bingeman. She was born April 9th, 1852. They reside on the old "Matthias Haug Farm" two miles north of the town of Waterloo. Their family consists of two children, namely: VII Ida, born October 17th, 1874, and VII Irvine B., born December 8th, 1878.

7868 VI WEBER, EZRA, was born February 4th, 1853, and died August 17th, 1855.

7869 VI WEBER, VERONICA, was born January 25th, 1855. On December 12th, 1875, she was married to

Isaac, son of Andrew and Mary (Baumann) Groff. They reside on a farm near Elmira. Their family consists of seven children, namely: VII Addison, VII Ervine, VII Angus, VII Ida, VII Clayton, VII Isaac, and VII Ella.

7870 VI WEBER, AMOS S., son of Joseph and Veronica (Shantz) Weber, was born April 10th, 1857. On November 1st, 1881, he was married to Maria, daughter of Abraham and Mary (Eby) Groff. She was born March 25th, 1861. They reside on the old "O'Lone Farm" at Centreville, three miles south-east of Berlin. Their family consists of four children, namely: VII Milton, born September 20th, 1885, VII Emma, born August 9th, 1888, VII Mary, born February 15th, 1891, and died August 22nd, 1893, and VII Clara, born January 26th, 1894.

7871 VI WEBER, SUSANNAH, was born March 10th, 1859. On February 11th, 1879, she was married to Lewis Reesor. They reside at Cedar Grove, York County, Ontario. Their family consists of two children, namely: VII Milton and VII Ella.

7872 VI WEBER, JOSEPH S., was born March 4th, 1861. On March 4th, 1884, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Henry B. and Lydia (Snyder) Shantz. She was born December 12th, 1864. They reside on the old homestead taken up by his grandfather, Benjamin Weber, in 1817. Their family consists of seven children, namely: VII Allan, born March 12th, 1885, VII Veronica, born May 11th, 1886, VII Edwin, born July 16th, 1887, and died September 13th, 1888, VII Benjamin, born December 4th, 1888, and died December 7th, 1888, VII Joseph, born January 30th, 1890, Lydia Ann, born May 11th, 1891, and VII Hannah, born December 19th, 1892.

7873 VI WEBER, HANNAH, was born May 27th, 1863. On March 6th, 1883, she was married to Menno Reesor. They reside at Cedar Grove, York County, Ontario. Their family consists of three children, namely: VII Ada, VII Fannie, and VII Ina.

7874 VI WEBER, LUCINDA, was born May 19th, 1865, and died August 25th, 1881.

7875 VI WEBER, NOAH, the youngest son of Joseph and Veronica (Shantz) Weber, was born January 11th, 1868. On September 23rd, 1891, he was married to Catherine, youngest daughter of Henry S. and Mary (Musselman) Brubacher. Their farm is composed of the north part of the old "Weber Farm." The new buildings for this farm are nearly opposite the old "Conrad Schmitt's" hotel, two miles north of the town of Waterloo.

7876 IV WEBER, ABRAHAM, the second son of Henry Weber, was born October 2nd, 1787. In 1807 he, in company with Benjamin Eby and wife, Joseph Schneider, wife and family, Peter Erb and wife, David Eby, Samuel Eby, and others, came to Canada and arrived at what is now Berlin, Waterloo County, on June 21st. Here Abraham Weber located on lot No. 15, German Company's Tract. His buildings were located on the west side of King Street, a little to the south of the Grand Trunk Railway where now is the beautiful residence and lawn of W. H. Bowlby. Soon after his arrival he was married to Elizabeth Baumann who was born October 16th, 1788, and died June 12th, 1847. They raised a family of three children, viz:

7877 V WEBER, ANNA, the eldest child of Abraham and Elizabeth (Cressman) Weber, was born in Berlin, August 14th, 1811. On February 16th, 1830, she was married to John Martin. See John Martin's family.

7878 V WEBER, ISAAC, the eldest son of Abraham and Elizabeth (Cressman) Weber, was born January 30th, 1816. In 1838 he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of David and Elizabeth (Bechtel) Eby. She was born January 26th, 1820.

Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm now possessed by Eli Horst, situated on the line between Woolwich and Waterloo Townships, about one-half mile east of the Martin Mennonite Meeting House. Here they resided until their deaths. He died October 14th, 1889, and she died June 19th, 1889. They had a family of seven children, viz:

7879 VI WEBER, MARIA and MAGDALENA (twins), the eldest children of Isaac and Elizabeth (Eby) Weber, were born November 10th, 1839. Maria died the same day she was born and Magdalena died the day following.

7880 VI WEBER, TOBIAS, the eldest son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Eby) Weber, was born June 13th, 1841, and died same day.

7881 VI WEBER, VERONICA, the third daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Eby) Weber, was born November 14th, 1842. On April 8th, 1862, she was married to Peter Good who was born January 9th, 1834. They reside on a farm in Woolwich Township, about three miles north of the town of Waterloo. They have but one child, a daughter named VII Hannah. She was born December 21st, 1874.

7882 VI WEBER, DILMAN, the second son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Eby) Weber, was born March 5th, 1847. He died January 23rd, 1870. He was never married.

7883 VI WEBER, ELIZABETH, the fourth and youngest daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Eby) Weber, was born August 1st, 1851. On March 11th, 1873, she was married to Eli Horst who was born July 2nd, 1847. They reside on her father's old homestead. They have four children, namely: VII Sarah, VII Enoch, VII Eli W., and VII Elizabeth.

7884 VI WEBER, ISAAC E., the youngest son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Eby) Weber, was born January 3rd, 1866. On October 11th, 1882, he was married to Amelia Alles who was born July 8th, 1864. On March 4th, 1885, they moved on the farm now possessed by Elias Bingeman, two miles east of Bridgeport. On November 26th of the same year (1885) they purchased the "Owen Oberholtzer Farm" at Bloomingdale where they have since resided. A few years ago he also purchased the old "Rudolph Detweiler Farm," right across the road from his farm. They have a family of four children, viz:

7885 VII WEBER, ALMEDA, born June 9th, 1886.

7886 VII WEBER, ARTHUR, born November 4th, 1887.

7887 VII WEBER, LUELLA, born December 25, 1891.

7888 VII WEBER, SENETTA, born June 29th, 1893.

7889 V WEBER, ABRAHAM C., the youngest son of Abraham and Elizabeth (Cressman) Weber, was born in Berlin, Waterloo County, Ontario, March 14th, 1817. On October 23rd, 1838, he was married to Judith, youngest daughter of Peter and Anna (Zimmerman) Martin. She was born January 2nd, 1821, and died March 12th, 1884. After their marriage he moved on his father's farm, being composed of part of lot No. 15, German Company's Tract. Here they resided until the Grand Trunk Railway was built in 1855, when they sold their large farm and purchased that of Benjamin Shantz and Stafford's farms at Freeport. Here they resided until his death which took place July 6th, 1874. She resided with her son, Moses, on the west side of the Grand River, near Chicopee, where she died. He was ordained as minister of the Gospel for the Mennonite denomination, December 22nd, 1850, which position he held faithfully until his end. He preached regularly and attended frequently at funerals. His time was largely occupied in visiting

the sick and giving words of consolation to such who were seeking their spiritual welfare, and his life was a busy one. So much of his time was devoted to his pastoral duties that he was almost unable to attend to his private affairs. Although sacrificing much of his time in the service of the church of his choice, he would not receive any compensation for the time devoted in behalf of the church, but looked for his reward beyond the present life where the faithful laborers in His vineyard shall be spiritually rewarded for all ages of eternity. They had a numerous family, being composed of sixteen children, viz:

7890 VI WEBER PETER, the eldest son of Abraham C. and Judith (Martin) Weber, was born October 6th, 1839. He is married to Leah, daughter of Rev. George and Salome (Becker) Schmitt. She was born October 24th, 1841. They reside on a beautiful farm one mile east of Berlin. They have a family of two children, one died in infancy and the other son, named VII George, is married to Phillis, daughter of Henry Cressman. They reside on her father's farm three miles east of Berlin and have a family of two children named VII Ervine and VII Ida.

7891 VI WEBER, ISAAC, the second son, was born October 9th, 1841. He is married to Susannah, daughter of David and Magdalena (Martin) Horst. They reside in Lexington, one and one-half miles north-west of Bridgeport where he raises small fruit and vegetables for the market. They have a beautiful home. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Eli, VII Magdalena, VII Henry, VII Mary, and VII Lydia.

7892 VI WEBER, DANIEL M., third son of Abraham C. Weber, was born September 11th, 1843. On November 14th, 1865, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of George and Veronica (Scheirich) Histand. She was born September 11th, 1846. After their marriage they moved on her father's

farm two miles south of Berlin. At present they reside on the place formerly owned by Tilman B. Snider of German Mills, Ontario. Their family consists of four children, viz:

7893 VII WEBER, JOSIAH, born October 24th, 1866.

7894 VII WEBER, JOSEPH H., born November 21st, 1873, and died same day.

7895 VII WEBER, EPHRAIM H., born June 29th, 1875.

7896 VII WEBER, GEORGE ABRAHAM, born June 24th, 1879.

7897 VI WEBER, ABRAHAM, fourth son of Abraham C. Weber, was born October 8th, 1845, and died February 13th, 1895. He was married to Susannah, daughter of John and Magdalena (Bowman) Cressman. He followed farming and possessed the old "Sam Bricker Farm," being composed of part of lot No. 117, German Company's Tract, on the west side of the Grand River, nearly opposite Chicopee. His family consisted of five children, namely: VII Cyrus, VII Lucinda, VII Velina, VII Manasseh, and VII Norman who died in infancy.

7898 VI WEBER, ELIZABETH, the eldest daughter of Abraham C. Weber, was born May 15th, 1847. She is married to Menno, son of David and Magdalena (Martin) Horst. They reside on a farm in Woolwich Township, about three miles east of Heidelberg. They had a family of four children, namely: VII Abraham, VII David (dead), VII Judith, and VII Susannah (dead).

7899 VI WEBER, MARTIN, the fifth son of Abraham C. Weber, was born September 22nd, 1848. He is married to Magdalena, daughter of Henry and

Mary (Musselman) Brubacher. They live on a farm being composed of part of lot No. 117, German Company's Tract. They have a family of five children, of whom the younger four died in infancy. The names of children are VII Mary, VII Simon (dead), VII Abram (dead), VII Louis (dead), and VII Martin (dead).

7900 VI WEBER, LEVI, the sixth son of Abraham C. Weber, was born March 14th, 1850. He is married to Susannah, daughter of Joseph and Leah (Unger) Baumann. They reside on his brother Daniel's farm, known as the old "Histand Place." They have a family of ten children, namely: VII Matilda, VII Leah, VII Jeremiah, VII Leander (dead), VII Malinda, VII Isaiah, VII Addison, VII Susannah, VII Malissa, and VII Alvin.

7901 VI WEBER, ANNA, the second daughter of Abraham C. Weber, was born August 20th, 1851. She resides in Berlin and is unmarried.

7902 VI WEBER, MOSES, the seventh son of Abraham C. Weber, was born August 29th, 1853, and died August 27th, 1890. He was married three times, first to Hettie, daughter of Henry and Mary (Musselman) Brubacher. She was born April 8th, 1854, and died October 30th, 1875. After her death he was married to Rebecca, daughter of Abraham B. and Lydia (Shantz) Clemmer. The second marriage was blessed with a family of seven children, namely: VII Lydia Ann, VII Abraham, VII Elmina, VII Elam (dead), VII Adline, VII Menno (dead), and VII Elvin. After the decease of second wife which took place April 25th, 1885, he was married to Annie, daughter of Joseph and Magdalena (Martin) Kinzie. She was the widow of Jonathan B. Snyder. There are no children of first and third marriages. Mr. Weber resided on a beautiful farm being composed of part of lot No. 117, German Company's Tract, where he

died of typhoid fever. His widow has her home with Christian B. Snyder three miles north of the town of Waterloo.

7903 VI WEBER, JUDITH, the third daughter of Abraham C. Weber, was born July 4th, 1855. She was married to Charles Krampien who was born October 20th, 1852, and died May 30th, 1892. Their family consisted of five children, namely: VII Lovina, VII Norman, VII Colinda (dead), VII Menno (dead), and VII Mary. The widow resides with Jacob B. Shantz, one mile south-east of Berlin.

7904 VI WEBER, MENNO, the eighth son of Abraham C. Weber, was born January 18th, 1857, and died January 5th, 1870.

7905 VI WEBER, DAVID M., the ninth son of Abraham C. Weber, was born October 25th, 1858. He is married to Lizzie, daughter of Peter M. and Elizabeth (Snyder) Musselman. She was born December 12th, 1862. They reside on her father's farm near Conestogo. Their family consists of five children, namely: VII Alice, VII Emma, VII Ella, VII Ivan, and VII Silva.

7906 VI WEBER, MARIA, the fourth daughter of Abraham C. Weber, was born January 2nd, 1862. She is unmarried and has her home with her sister, Anna, who resides in Berlin.

7907 VI WEBER, TILMAN, the tenth son of Abraham C. Weber, was born November 2nd, 1863. He was married to Magdalena, daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Kinzie) Sitler. She was born July 19th, 1864, and died August 3rd, 1891. He resides in Bridgeport and is driving a team for Mr. Peter Shirk. His family consists of four children, namely: VII Amos, VII Urias, VII Mary Ann, and VII Abraham (dead).

7908 VI WEBER, LYDIA, the fifth daughter of Abraham C. Weber, was born January 11th, 1866. She is unmarried and keeps house for her brother Tilman who resides in Bridgeport.

7909 VI WEBER, LEAH, sixth and youngest daughter of Abraham C. Weber, was born January 23rd, 1867, and died February 22nd, 1882.

7910 IV WEBER, HENRY, the fourth son of Henry Weber, was born near Blue Ball, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 14th, 1793. In 1816 he, in company with Joseph Clemmer and family, Dilman Ziegler and family, Samuel Eby and family, and John Brubacher and his mother, came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County. He had his home with his brother, Abraham, until the following spring when he was married, March 11th, 1817, to Salome, daughter of Preacher Joseph and Mary (Bear) Baumann. After their marriage they located on lot No. 65, German Company's Tract, where they resided until their deaths. He was ordained a minister of the Gospel and served the church of his choice, the Mennonite, faithfully until his death which took place May 9th, 1862. His wife was born April 8th, 1771, and died September 6th, 1868. They had a family of two children, viz:

7911 V WEBER, SAMUEL, eldest and only son of Henry Weber, was born November 26th, 1821. On March 7th, 1844, he was married to Anna, daughter of Daniel and Veronica (Schneider) Martin. She was born August 2nd, 1824. After his marriage he took possession of his father's large farm where he resided until his death which took place October 13th, 1886.* He was an ordained minister of the Mennonite Church. He was an eloquent speaker, a man of great influence and a good worker among his co-religionists. The church lost a worthy

* While in the town of Waterloo he met with an accident which caused his death. He met with a friend on the street and while engaged in conversation with him a tool of one of the party who was engaged in tinning the roof of Mr. Doersam's hotel, slipped over the edge of the building and struck him on the head. He was carried into the house unconscious and remained in that state until his death next day.

minister through his death. They had a large family, all of whom attained the age of twenty-one years except two who died young. The names of his children are as follows:

7912 VI WEBER, SUSANNAH, was born December 8th, 1844. On January 30th, 1866, she was married to David Horst, a farmer. They reside in Woolwich Township and have a family of five children, namely: VII Samuel, VII Anna, VII Leah, VII Moses, and VII Susannah.

7913 VI WEBER, MOSES, was born August 27th, 1847. On February 22nd, 1870, he was married to Barbara Horst. He resides on north half of lot No. 65 German Company's Tract, being part of the old "Henry (Henner) Weber Farm." This union was blessed with four children, namely: VII Barbara (dead), VII Daniel (dead), VII Simeon, and VII Mary Ann. After the decease of his first wife he was married to Lydia Gingerich. The second union was blessed with a large family. The names of children are VII Anna, VII Israel, VII Sarah, VII Lovina, VII Lydia, VII Moses, VII Rebecca, VII Elizabeth, VII Leah, VII Magdalena, and VII Veronica.

7914 VI WEBER, JUDITH, was born January 7th, 1849, and died July 2nd, 1854.

7915 VI WEBER, DANIEL, was born October 23rd, 1851, and died March 20th, 1854.

7916 VI WEBER, HENRY, was born March 9th, 1853. On March 10th, 1874, he was married to Mary Ann Martin. He resides on the old "John Wissler Farm" at Lexington. Their family consists of five children, namely: VII Susannah, VII Lydia Ann, VII Mary, VII Albert, and VII Josiah (dead).

7917 VI WEBER, ANNA, was born August 16th, 1855. On December 1st, 1874, she was married to Moses Martin and has a family as follows: VII Samuel (dead), VII Mary (dead), VII Simon, VII Ephraim, VII Anna, VII Levi, and VII Lydia.

7918 VI WEBER, VERONICA, was born February 19th, 1857. She is married to Joseph B. Snyder and resides on east end of lot No. 63, German Company's Tract. They have the following family, namely: VII Simeon, VII Susannah (dead), VII Leah, VII Lucinda, VII Lovina, VII Edwin, VII Joseph, and VII Anna.

7919 VI WEBER, SAMUEL, was born January 12th, 1859. He is married to Susannah Shantz. Their family is as follows: VII Malinda, VII Lovina, VII Ida, VII Mary Ann, and VII Angus.

7920 VI WEBER, LEAH, was born February 19th, 1862. She is married to Isaac Gingerich. Their family consists of six children, namely: VII Aaron (dead), VII Lydia Ann, VII Salome, VII Elam, VII Eli and VII Levi (twins).

7921 VI WEBER, LEVI, was born June 17th, 1863. On December 29th, 1885, he was married to Elizabeth Baumann and resides on his father's old homestead. They have a family of four children, namely: VII Annie (dead), VII Judith, VII Mary Ann (dead), and VII Hannah.

7922 VI WEBER, LYDIA, was born December 11th, 1866. She is married to Aaron Baumann and has a family of two children named VII Amos and VII Susannah.

7923 VI WEBER, ENOCH, the youngest son of Samuel Weber, was born March 13th, 1869. He resides on

a farm near his father's old homestead. On January 15th, 1895, he was married to Lydia, daughter of Menno and Rebecca (Martin) Gingerich.

7924 V WEBER, ANNA, the only daughter of Henry Weber, and sister to Samuel Weber, was born November 19th, 1824. On October 22nd, 1845, she was married to Joseph ("Schwam Joe Weber"), son of David B. and Mary (Lyons) Weber of Strasburg. He was born August 9th, 1822, and died March 2nd, 1876. After their marriage they lived with her parents for nearly a year. He purchased part of lot No. 64, German Company's Tract, where he had a small clearing made and a log dwelling erected into which they moved in 1846. Here they resided until their deaths. He was a deacon of the Mennonite Church for quite a number of years. They had no family of their own but they adopted four children, three of whom they raised. The first one was Susannah, daughter of old Joseph Kinzie. She was married to Joshua Snyder. The second one was Anna Edy, born March 24th, 1854. Her father died on mid-ocean, in February, 1854, and has found a watery grave. Her mother came to Berlin. After being here for a few weeks Anna was born, and when she was two weeks old her mother died. Mrs. John Eby of Berlin brought her to Mrs. Joseph Weber. She is married to John S. Brubacher and resides on the old homestead where she was raised. For further information see family of John S. Brubacher. The third child was Jane Elbert who was born April 1st, 1863, and died August 26th, same year. The last one was Catherine Magdalena Murphy. She was a daughter of Thomas and Catherine (Kolb) Murphy. She is married to Samuel K. Brubacher. They reside on a farm about two miles north of Conestogo Village. See Samuel K. Brubacher's family.

7925 IV WEBER, DANIEL, the sixth son of Henry Weber, was born near Blue Ball, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania,

May 14th, 1797. He was married to Anna, daughter of old Peter Martin. This marriage took place in spring, 1819. A month or so after their marriage they, in company with Peter Martin and family and others, came to Canada and arrived at Waterloo in May of the same year. Mr. Weber located on the farm now possessed by John Lichty about a mile north of the town of Waterloo. Here he made some clearings and improvements, but wishing to locate nearer his brother, Henry, he sold out the following spring and purchased lot No. 2, Woolwich Township, almost adjoining the lot of his brother. Here he resided the remaining days of his life. He died February 13th, 1864. His wife was born May 26th, 1802, and died March 13th, 1886. They had a family of four children, viz:

7926 V WEBER, ANNA, was born October 17th, 1820, and died October 24th, 1872. She was married to Jonas Wenger and had a family of two children, namely: VI Daniel, married to Angeline Hagey, and VI Lydia, married to Joseph Cressman.

7927 V WEBER, PETER, was born February 17th, 1822, and died same year, aged about 6 months.

7928 V WEBER, ELIAS, was born December 9th, 1828. On March 19th, 1850, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Jacob and Judith (Baumann) Bricker. She was born October 22nd, 1826. Soon after their marriage they moved on their farm first known as Jacob Erb's place, then (Potter) Samuel Eby owned it for a few years. After him Isaac Wenger possessed it for some years, then he sold it to Daniel Weber who gave it to his son Elias after his marriage. He held it in possession ever since. They had a family of three children, viz:

7929 VI WEBER, AMOS, was born April 17th, 1851. On October 7th, 1872, he was married to Hannah daughter of Elias Martin. They reside on the old "Jacob Bricker Farm" one and one-half miles northwest of Waterloo. They have a family of nine children, namely: VII Leah, VII Israel, VII Elias,

VII Susannah, VII Sidney, VII Mary Ann, VII Amos and VII Anna (twins), and VII Emanuel.

7930 VI WEBER, ANNA, was born January 10th, 1855, and died January 2nd, 1880. She was married to Enos, son of John Martin, and had a family of two sons, VII John and VII Josiah who died in infancy.

7931 VI WEBER, DANIEL B., was born June 9th, 1863. He was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Elias Martin, December 27th, 1887. They reside on the old "Weber Homestead" about one mile south of Conestogo. Their family consists of two children named VII Leander and VII Elam.

7932 V WEBER, DANIEL, the youngest son of Daniel and Anna (Martin) Weber, was born on lot No. 2, Woolwich Township, January 11th, 1836. On January 6th, 1857, he was married to Veronica, daughter of Benjamin M. and Anna (Shantz) Weber. She was born October 30th, 1836. Soon after their marriage they moved on his father's old homestead about a mile south of Conestogo where he was engaged in farming. He died November 27th, 1888. They had a family of thirteen children, viz:

7933 VI WEBER, TILLMAN, was born August 3, 1857.

7934 VI WEBER, AARON, was born September 29th, 1860. He is married to Elizabeth Martin. They reside on a farm near Elmira. Their family consists of seven children, namely: VII Menno, VII Hannah, VII Sarah, VII Noah, VII Abraham, VII Lydia (dead), and a son, name not received.

7935 VI WEBER, FRANKLIN, was born June 26th, 1862, and died of consumption, March 13th, 1894. He was married to Anna Baumann and had a family of three children, namely: VII Isaiah, VII

Aaron, and VII Mary Ann. They resided nearly a mile south of Conestogo. Their farm consisted of part of the old "Daniel Weber Homestead."

7936 VI WEBER, BENJAMIN W., born June 20, 1863.

7937 VI WEBER, DANIEL W., born March 23rd, 1866.

7938 VI WEBER, VERONICA, born Sept. 10th, 1867.

7939 VI WEBER, NOAH, born March 21st, 1869, is married to Mary Ann, daughter of Moses Weber. They reside on the old homestead.

7940 VI WEBER, ELIAS W., born June 12th, 1870, is married to Esther Martin.

7941 VI WEBER, MARY, born October 18th, 1871, died same day.

7942 VI WEBER, NANCY, born June 22nd, 1873.

7943 VI WEBER, ESTHER, born March 2nd, 1875, died same day.

7944 VI WEBER, LYDIA, born June 2nd, 1876.

7945 VI WEBER, MAGDALENA, born March 18, 1878.

7946 WEBER, CHRISTIAN, son of Christian and Catherine (Bruck) Weber, was born in the village of Dietrichhingen, district of Zweibruecken, Rhein Bayren, Germany, March 4th, 1810. When in his nineteenth year he bid adieu to his fatherland and emigrated to America. After arriving at New York in safety he was obliged to work for some time in order to raise sufficient means to defray his expenses across the ocean. In a few years he had, by diligent labor, saved so much from his earnings that he was enabled to pay the expenses of bringing his parents and others of the family to this country. Some time during the year 1833 or 1834 he, together with his parents and others, moved to Canada and settled near Wilmot Centre, Waterloo County, Ontario, where Mr. Weber was married to Elizabeth

Schmaus who was born June 29th, 1818, and died June 3rd, 1886. Here they resided about twenty years, then he disposed of his farm and purchased that of Moses Weaver a little east of Heidelberg where they resided until their deaths. He died March 22nd, 1886. Mr. Weber was a man of noble character, industrious, and economical. Modesty, coolness and deliberation were some of his characteristics. His descendants are not so much distinguished for being great public men as for the uniform private worth of all of them, not intending to convey the idea that they are less able or competent to fill public positions than others but that a certain feature of character impells them always to attend to their own business first. None of them are and never have been ambitious for public honor or position except such as naturally spring from good private citizenship. Mr. and Mrs. Weber were blessed with a family of eight children, viz:

7947 WEBER, JOHN S., the eldest, was born April 29th, 1841. He is married to Lydia Allendorf and resides nearly two miles east of Elmira where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: Lizzie Ann, Ezra, Lovina, Clara, and Aaron.

7948 WEBER, DANIEL S., was born July 31st, 1842. He is married to Mary Doerbecker. They reside in Perth County, Ontario, near Listowel, where he is engaged in farming. His family is as follows, namely: Elias, Aaron, Hannah, Edward, and Ephraim.

7949 WEBER, CAROLINE S., was born October 24th, 1843. She is married to Michael Schweitzer, a farmer. They reside near Heidelberg, on the old "Christian Keller Farm." To them are born four children, namely: Daniel, Mary Ann, John, and Aaron.

7950 WEBER, LOUISA S., was born March 13th, 1845. She is married to Charles Kreutziger. They reside

in the town of Waterloo where he is the proprietor of the large planing mills, saw mills and lumber yards, also manufacturer of doors, sash, etc. Their family consists of eight children, namely: Ezra, Matilda, Edward, Emma, Allan, Lizzie, Charles, and Louisa.

7951 WEBER, CHRISTIAN S., was born March 3rd, 1847. He is married to Margaret Schneider and resides on his father's old homestead near Heidelberg where he is engaged in farming. In 1889 he was elected as a member of the Woolwich Township council which position he held for four years in succession. In 1893 he was appointed Second Deputy Reeve which position he held for two years, and in January, 1895, he was elected First Deputy Reeve. He is a man that is very popular among all classes of his acquaintances and has so far proved himself to be an able man to represent the interest of his supporters at the council table. His family is as follows, namely: Ada, Selinda, Addison, Lillie, and Nellie.

7952 WEBER, ELIZABETH S., was born November 10th, 1849, and died May 1st, 1882. She was married to Henry Schneider, a farmer. They resided about two miles south-east of Heidelberg. She left a family of three children, namely: John, Zeborah, and William.

7953 WEBER, LOUIS S., was born March 22nd, 1853. He is married to Emma Knechtel. They reside on east half of his father's old homestead near Heidelberg where he is engaged in farming. To them are born seven children, namely: Ida, Sylva, Ira, Eben, Anna, Louis, and Roy.

7954 WEBER, MARY ANN, was born June 21st, 1857. She was married to Edward K. Hardy, a harness-maker, and resides in Heidelberg and has a family of three children, namely: Horace, Herbert, and Charles.

7955 WEBER, JACOB, son of Christian and Catherine (Bruck) Weber, was born in the village of Dietrichhingen, district of Zweibruecken, Rhein Bayern, Germany, August 24th, 1816. In 1833 he emigrated to America and settled temporarily at Rochester, New York, where he remained one year, thence on the strength of report, he, in 1834, left Rochester, New York, and moved to Waterloo County, Ontario, and settled in Wilmot Township, where he met with many of his co-religionists. Here he resided until 1841 when he moved to Elice Township, Perth County, about one and one-half miles west of Sebringville, where he resided until 1855, then sold out and moved back to Waterloo County and settled near St Jacobs, on the farm now occupied by Christian Sheifley. In 1860 he purchased the old "Yost Farm," adjoining that of his on the east. In 1867 he moved a little to the west of St. Jacobs, on the farm formerly possessed by Valentine Ratz and now by Daniel Good. In 1873 he again left this place and moved one mile north of St. Jacobs, on the farm now possessed by his youngest son, Menno L. In 1887 he moved to St. Jacobs where he purchased a property opposite that of Dr. Robertson's place. Here he lives retired and intends to spend the evening of his life in peace and comfort. On January 1st, 1841, he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob and Magdalena (Schowalter) Lehman. She was born in Canton Seltz, Alsace, France, now Germany, June 10th, 1817, came to America in 1837, and died at St. Jacobs, Ontario, May 2nd, 1892. To them was born a family of eleven children, viz:

7956 WEBER, JACOB L., was born August 31st, 1841. He is married to Catherine Jacobs and resides in Idaho, U. S., where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of seven children.

7957 WEBER, ELIZABETH L., was born December 1st, 1842. She is married to Joseph Fisher, a farmer. They reside in Colborne Township, Huron County, Ontario. They have a family of seven children.

7958 WEBER, JOHN L., was born June 12th, 1844. He

is married to Christiana Kesselring and resides on the old "Yost Farm" about a mile east of St. Jacobs. His family consists of eight children.

7959 WEBER, CATHERINE L., was born January 18th, 1846. She is married to Noah W. Gingerich, woollen manufacturer. They reside in St. Jacobs, Ontario, and have a family of eight children. See No. 3158.

7960 WEBER, CHRISTIAN L., was born September 10th, 1847. He was first married to Anna Reitzel who died April 24th, 1877, and after her decease to Mary Miehm. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in one of the large factories. His family consists of eight children, three of whom were born unto his first wife.

7961 WEBER, DANIEL L., was born April 1st, 1849. He was married to Sallie Hagey (No. 3842) who died March 27th, 1895, and resides at Chicopee where he is engaged in manufacturing woollen goods. To them were born ten children.

7962 WEBER, JOSEPH L., was born February 14th, 1851. He was married to Maggie Stevens and resided in Marion County, Kansas, where he died December 29th, 1880, leaving a family of two daughters.

7963 WEBER, MARIA L., was born March 29th, 1853. She is married to Jacob Shelly, a miller. They reside in Conestogo, Ontario, and have a family of eight children.

7964 WEBER, LOUIS L., was born February 27th, 1855. He is married to Emma Buist. They reside in Nottawa, Ontario, where he is engaged in the woollen mills. Their family consists of three children.

7965 WEBER, SAMUEL L., was born November 26th, 1856. He is married to Mary George and resides about one mile north of St. Jacobs where he is engaged in farming. He has no family.

7966 WEBER, MENNO L., was born March 29th, 1860. He was first married to Maggie Doerbecker and after her decease to Christina Doerbecker. He resides a little north of St. Jacobs where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of four children, namely: Maggie of first wife, and Bella, May, and Lydia of second wife.

WINGER.

(Spelled "Wenger" by some members of family.)

The Wingers were among the early and respectable settlers of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. They came to America from Switzerland as early as 1748 and settled in Lancaster County. They were an enterprising, industrious, and honorable people. Their descendants are now to be found in almost every state of the United States and quite a number have settled in Canada. The old progenitor that came from Switzerland was "Hans" (John) Winger. His family consisted of seven sons who were all born in Switzerland. The Wingers in Waterloo County are descendants of this old "Hans." Some are the children of old IV Joseph Wenger, a great-grandson of old "Hans," while others are descendants of old III John Winger who was a grandson of old I Hans Winger, and son of II Adam Winger. We shall first give the descendants of old Joseph Wenger.

7967 IV WENGER, JOSEPH, was born and resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he died. He was mar-

ried to Elizabeth Zimmerman who was born November 21st, 1778, and died March 23rd, 1840. After his decease, which took place in Pennsylvania in 1824, the widow with her family moved to Waterloo County, Ontario, Canada, in 1825, and resided in the town of Waterloo, in old Abraham Erb's house for eighteen months, then she moved two and one-half miles north of the town of Waterloo, on the place known as "Freunds" (now Eli Martins), opposite the Martin Mennonite Church. Here she resided until her death. Her family consisted of nine children, viz:

7968 V WENGER, JOSEPH, died an infant.

7969 V WENGER, ZIMMERMAN, was born November 25th, 1807, and died March 25th, 1831.

7970 V WENGER, CHRISTIAN, was married and resided in Indiana, U. S. When on a visit to Canada in 1859, he, while engaged in conversation with a friend on King Street, Berlin, Ontario, dropped dead of paralysis.

7971 V WENGER, ISAAC, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, February 18th, 1812. In 1825, when in his thirteenth year, he came to Canada with his mother who settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, where Mr. Wenger was raised. On March 26th, 1839, he was married to Mary, daughter of Jonathan and Polly (Schneider) Bowman, (See No. 208) who was born July 16th, 1818. Some time after his marriage he moved to Elmira where he was engaged in the mercantile business for some years. Some twenty years ago he sold out his business in Elmira and moved to Ayton, Grey County, where he was engaged in the mercantile and milling business, doing an extensive trade up to the time of his death which took place March 6th, 1890. Mr. Wenger was an energetic and a thorough man of business and was widely known in this and Grey Counties where he was held in high esteem by all classes. His business career was unblemished. Their family consisted of five sons, viz:

7972 VI WENGER, JOSEPH, was born December 22nd, 1839, and died June 12th, 1842.

7973 VI WENGER, JONATHAN, was born October 19th, 1841, and died April 17th, 1843.

7974 VI WENGER, NOAH, was born October 27th, 1844. In 1874 he was married to Isabella Phillip. They reside in Ayton, Ontario, where he is engaged in the lumber and milling business. His family consists of six children, viz:

7975 VII WENGER, ISABELLA, born Feb. 11th, 1876.

7976 VII WENGER, EDGAR ISAAC, born August 24th, 1878.

7977 VII WENGER, ELLA BOWMAN, born December 26th, 1880.

7978 VII WENGER, JOHN ALLAN, born March 30th, 1883.

7979 VII WENGER, FLORENCE KATE, born February 11th, 1886.

7980 VII WENGER, HARRY ARNOLD, born April 26th, 1889.

7981 VI WENGER, AARON, was born August 27th, 1848. On January 16th, 1879, he was married to Janet Phillip. They reside in Ayton, Ontario, where he is following the mercantile business and in connection with this he is also engaged in manufacturing choice creamery butter. Mr. Wenger's family consists of eight children, viz:

7982 VII WENGER, ROBERT, born November 7, 1879.

7983 VII WENGER, MARY BOWMAN, born June 26th, 1882.

7984 VII WENGER, ISAAC, born October 15th, 1883, died August 15th, 1884.

7985 VII WENGER, FRANKLIN, twin brother to Isaac, born October 15th, 1883.

7986 VII WENGER, ETHEL BELLE, born March 5th, 1886.

7987 VII WENGER, AMOS ADDISON, born April 11th, 1888.

7988 VII WENGER, ROY MERCER, born July 10th, 1891.

7989 VII WENGER, LEE CAMERON, born February 10th, 1894.

7990 VI WENGER, AMOS, the youngest son of Isaac and Mary (Bowman) Wenger, was born July 17th, 1851. In 1877 he was married to Elizabeth Nahrgang. They resided in Ayton, Ontario, where he died June 27th, 1882, leaving a family of two children, viz:

7991 VII WENGER, MARY LOUISA, born in May, 1877.

7992 VII WENGER, AMOS, born December 26th, 1882, died July 1st, 1884.

7993 V WENGER, MARY, was born April 28th, 1814, and died near Heidelberg, Ontario, March 16th, 1868. She was married to John Meyer. See John Meyer's family.

7994 V WENGER, JONAS, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, May 6th, 1815. In 1825 he came to Waterloo County, Ontario, where he was raised. On May 4th, 1840, he was married to Maria, daughter of Christian and Esther

(Stauffer) Martin. She was born June 15th, 1820, and died many years ago. After her decease he was again married to Anna, daughter of Daniel and Anna (Martin) Weber. She was born October 17th, 1820, and died October 24th, 1872. Some years after the decease of his second wife he formed an acquaintance with Eliza Ziegler, widow of the late Abraham Kolb, whom he afterwards married and now they reside on the old "Clemens Farm" near Breslau where they have their home with Mr. Joseph S. Cressman who is married to his daughter. Mr. Wenger's family consisted of nine children, of whom seven were born unto his first wife and two unto the second. Their names are as follows:

7995 VI WENGER, ISAAC, was born November 9th, 1840, and died March 9th, 1841.

7996 VI WENGER, ANNA, was married to John D. Martin. They resided in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he died in 1886, leaving a family of three children, namely: VII Josiah, VII Daniel, and VII Enos.

7997 VI WENGER, LUCY ANN, was born December 20th, 1842, and died September 9th, 1843.

7998 VI WENGER, MARY MAGDALENA, was married to Benuel Baumann, a farmer. They resided in Wallace Township, Perth County, Ontario, where she died, leaving two children, namely: VII Aaron and VII Magdalena (dead).

7999 VI WENGER, ESTHER, is married to Benjamin Lichty, a farmer. They reside near Elmira, Ontario. To them were born seven children. See Benjamin Lichty's family.

8000 VI WENGER, CHRISTIAN, is married to Mary Ann Gole. They reside near Sandusky, Senlac County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows: VII Leah, VII Menno,

VII George (dead), VII Altana, VII Ellen, VII Martha Ann, and VII Mary Jane. See No. 3219.

8001 VI WENGER, ELIZABETH, is married to Benuel Baumann, a farmer. See No. 319.

8002 VI WENGER, DANIEL, the eldest son of second wife, was born near St. Jacobs, Ontario, April 18th, 1860. On September 14th, 1880, he was married to Angeline, daughter of John and Hannah (Erb) Hagey. She was born June 2nd, 1860. They reside on the old "Henry Moyer Homestead" which he purchased from Bishop Elias Weber. Their family consists of four children, viz:

8003 VII WENGER, EDWARD, born November 16th, 1881.

8004 VII WENGER, ADELINE, born May 10th, 1883.

8005 VII WENGER, MAGDALENA, born May 6, 1885.

8006 VII WENGER, LILLIE, born October 9th, 1886.

8007 VI WENGER, LYDIA, was born August 22nd, 1863. On January 27th, 1880, she was married to Joseph S. Cressman. See No. 2072.

8008 V WENGER, SUSANNAH, was married to Joseph Martin who died March 21st, 1856. Her family consisted of six children. She died in Michigan some years ago. See Joseph Martin's family.

8009 V WENGER, ESTHER, was born July 23rd, 1819. She was married to Frederick Scheifley, a farmer. They resided near Conestogo where she died August 28th, 1850. See Frederick Scheifley's family.

8010 V WENGER, MAGDALENA, was married to Eli

Schrog, a farmer. They reside in Indiana, U. S., where their family has settled.

8011 III WINGER, JOHN,† son of Adam Winger and grandson of old "Hans" Winger, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 5th, 1789. After spending his boyhood days in his native county, he was married to Susannah, daughter of Peter Eby who was a son of Jacob Eby, third son of old Theodorus Eby who came to Pennsylvania in 1715. She was born November 10th, 1792. In 1836 Mr. and Mrs. John Winger moved to Canada and settled in Berlin, Ontario, where they resided until their deaths. He died October 11th, 1864, and she died January 3rd, 1871. To them was born a family of six children, viz:

8012 IV WINGER, PETER, the eldest in the family, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 18th, 1818. In 1834 he, in company with one George Eby, drove with a horse and buggy from Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, to Waterloo County, Ontario, making the trip in two weeks. In fall of the same year he returned to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he remained until May, 1835, when he made the second trip to Canada and settled in Berlin, Ontario. He worked the first year in the town of Waterloo, on Mr. Jacob Schneider's sawmills, receiving the wonderful salary of $7 per month. On November 7th, 1837, he went to Bridgeport and engaged himself to the late Jacob S. Shoemaker as miller, in whose service he remained eleven years. In September, 1848, he moved to Woolwich Township, on the farm now possessed by Isaac Hilborn. In January, 1849, he was appointed assessor for Woolwich Township, then including Pilkington Township. He was one of the early councillors of Woolwich Township and was deputy reeve when Berlin was made the county town for the newly formed

† John Winger had one brother named Henry who moved to Ohio a few years before he (John) moved to Canada.

county of Waterloo. Later in life he was engaged in the mercantile, woollen and lumber business. About the year 1867 he received the appointment of post master for Elmira which position he held until his death which took place July 27th, 1889. The following interesting notice has been taken from the pages of Mr. Winger's journal, now in possession of his son, Jacob: "At a meeting called by public notice from Peter Winger, Esq., reeve of the township of Woolwich, held at St. Jacobs on the 26th day of March, 1853, for the purpose of forming a township Agricultural Society. Upon the notice being read and the object being explained for which the meeting was called it was unanimously resolved that a society be forthwith formed, to be called the Township of Woolwich Agricultural Society. Thereupon James Mirrilees was called to the chair. When it was moved by B. H. Curtis, seconded by John Meyers that James Dow be president and Charles Hendry vice-president for the current year. 1st, Moved by Chas. Hendry, seconded by James MaConichee that the following gentlemen be directors for the current year, viz: B. H. Curtis, John Seaton, John Meyers, James Burnett, James Hall, Wm. H. Peterson, Jacob Winkler and Joseph Hardy. 2nd, Moved by John Meyers, seconded by Charles Hendry that James Mirrilees be appointed secretary and treasurer. Thereupon the meeting adjourned: the directors to meet again at Kuntze's Hotel, Conestogo, on Saturday, April 23rd, (1853) at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon." Mr. Winger was married, January 24th, 1838, to Maria Baumann (No. 314) who was born January 1st, 1817, and died in Elmira, April 25th, 1886. Some time after her decease he was again married to Catherine Martin, widow of the late Moses Musselman. To him and his first wife was born a family of seven children, viz:

8013 V WINGER, SUSANNAH, was born January 23rd, 1840. She resides in Elmira and was married to Isaac Musselman. See Isaac Musselman's family.

8014 V WINGER, HENRY B., was born April 5th, 1841. He is married to Magdalena Schnarr and resides in Elmira where he, in partnership with his brother, is

engaged in the woollen Manufacturing business. To them are born two children, namely: VI Angus and VI Amsey.

8015 V WINGER, MARY, was born May 14th, 1843. She is married to Isaac Brock Markle. They reside in Windsor, Ontario, where he is engaged in the implement and horseshoeing business. To them is born the following family, namely: VI Estella, VI Angeline, VI Ida, VI Peter Oscar, VI Walter, and VI William.

8016 V WINGER, WILLIAM, was born June 26th, 1846, and died August 10th, 1847.

8017 V WINGER, JACOB, was born June 21st, 1849. He is married to Mary, daughter of Solomon and Emma E. (Grey) Weber. They reside in Elmira, Ontario, where he is engaged in manufacturing woollen goods. Their family consists of two children, namely: VI Raymond Morley and VI Russel Elmo.

8018 V WINGER, REUBEN, was born July 4th, 1853. He is married to Martha Armstrong and resides in Elmira where he assists his brothers in the woollen mills. Their family consists of two children, namely: VI Melvin and VI Dora May.

8019 V WINGER, MARIAH, the youngest in the family, was born March 8th, 1862. She is engaged as a book-keeper in some large manufacturing establishment. When last heard of her she was still unmarried.

8020 IV WINGER, ELI, the second member of the family, resided in Berlin, Ontario, for some time. He died, unmarried, aged about 27 years.

8021 IV WINGER, JOHN, was married to Elizabeth Master. They resided in Berlin for a number of years then they moved to Wooster, Ohio, where they still reside. Their family consisted of several children, but names of only three have been received, namely: V Theresa, V Amanda, and V Ella.

8022 IV WINGER, POLLY, was married to Mr. Cornell of Preston. No information in regard to her family.

8023 IV WINGER, REBECCA, was married to Samuel Roether. They resided in Walkerton, Bruce County, Ontario, where he was jailer for the said county for many years. He died a year or so ago, leaving a family of six children, namely: V Sarah, V Samuel (dead), V Reuben (dead), V Susannah, V Louisa (dead), and V Anna.

8024 IV WINGER, ELIZABETH, was married to Abram Buehler who died in the town of Waterloo, Ontario, September 5th, 1864. She resides with one of her daughters in the town of Waterloo. Mr. Buehler's family is as follows, namely: V Susannah, V Hannah, V Lizzie, V Kate, V Abram, and V Mariah.

WIDEMAN.

The ancestry of the Wideman Family of Lancaster, Lebanon and Berks Counties, Pennsylvania, and of York and Waterloo Counties, Ontario, Canada, can be traced back to the year 1733 when the old progenitor, I Martin Wideman, came to America and settled in Clay Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. He received a patent from William Penn and his associates for 385 acres of land situated in said Clay Township. The date of the conveyance is October 6th, 1733, and the consideration named for the said land is £59 19s 6d. This was the common ancestor of the family now found in Pennsylvania and Canada. The old progenitor was born in Durlach, near Carlsruhe, Baden, Germany, about the year 1700. His family consisted of three sons, II Christopher, II Jacob and II Sebastian, and a daughter who was married to John Weachter. Christopher was married and settled at New Holland, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and was the ancestor of the Widemans in that section of the county. Jacob settled in Clay Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was married to Barbara Hoover (Huber) and had a large family, namely: III George, III Christopher, III Martin, III John, III Jacob, III Samuel, III Peter, III Catharine, married to a Mr. Leis, III Elizabeth, married to George Yundt, III Susannah, married to George Elser, and III Barbara, married to a Mr. Ziegler. Jacob, the fifth son of the last named family, resided in Clay Township, near his father's home where he was engaged in farming. His family consisted of ten children, namely: IV William, IV Catharine, married to John Mentzer, IV Elizabeth, married to John Shenk, IV Susannah, married to Henry Roneig, IV Jacob who died, leaving two children, IV Sallie, married to a Mr. Fisher, IV Polly, married to a Mr. Nye, IV George, IV Fannie, married to a Mr. Hecker, and IV Martin, married to Lydia Yundt.

8025 II WIDEMAN, SEBASTIAN, the youngest son of

old Martin Wideman, was married and resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he raised a family of several children, but unfortunately the names of none were received save that of III John. When and where old Sebastian died is not known. Tradition has it that he died a middle-aged man.

8026 III WIDEMAN, JOHN, son of Sebastian Wideman, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, about the year 1734. After attaining the age of maturity he was married and moved to Bucks County, same state, where he followed the agricultural life until he was well advanced in years. It could not be ascertained to whom he was married, neither were we informed of the names of his children save that of one son named IV Henry.

8027 IV WIDEMAN, HENRY, son of John Wideman, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, in 1757. When a young man he joined the church of his choice, the Mennonite, and in course of time it was noticed that he possessed such talents that fitted him for the ministry, to which position he was ordained after being a middle-aged man. He was well liked and highly respected by all who knew him. Hearing of so many of his co-religionists moving from his and other counties of Pennsylvania to Canada, he, with his wife, family and others, followed their co-religionists and also moved to Canada* in 1803 and settled in Markham Township, York County, then all forest save a few clearings made here and there a year or so previously. Here they resided until his death† which took place June 24th, 1810. He was the first regular ordained Mennonite minister in Canada. A year later we find that one was ordained at the Twenty, Lincoln County, Ontario. Rev. Mr. Wideman's family‡ consisted of the following children, viz:

* They left their home in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, May 16th, 1803, and arrived on the 8th Concession, Markham Township, York County, August 1st, 1803.

† His death was caused by a tree falling on him while he was engaged in clearing away the forest on his farm.

‡ The family is not given in their proper rotation of birth.

8028 V WIDEMAN, CHRISTIAN, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, in 1780 or 1781. He was married to Mary Kauffman and resided in Bucks County until 1805 when he also moved to Canada and settled in Markham Township, York County, near his father's place. Here he was ordained deacon of the Mennonite body. To him and his wife were born the following children, viz:

8029 VI WIDEMAN, CATHERINE, was married to Jacob Miller, a farmer.

8030 VI WIDEMAN, MARIAH, was married to Samuel Herr, a farmer.

8031 VI WIDEMAN, ANNIE, was married to Jacob Lehman, a farmer.

8032 VI WIDEMAN, ANDREW, son of Christian and Mary (Kauffman) Wideman, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, March 16th, 1805. He was raised in Markham Township, York County, Ontario, where he was married to Anna Lehman who was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, June 5th, 1805, and died April 5th, 1848. After her decease he was again married, October 27th, 1851, to Susannah Copplen, widow of the late Samuel Eby. She was born November 8th, 1811, and died June 18th, 1875. They resided in Markham Township, York County, where Mr. Wideman died December 23rd, 1868. To him and his first wife was born a family of three children, viz:

8033 VII WIDEMAN, MARY, was born November 8th, 1829. She is married to John Koch who was born December 22nd, 1822. They reside in Markham Township, York County, where he followed farming many years but now lives retired. They have no family.

8034 VII WIDEMAN, JOHN L., the only son of Andrew and Anna (Lehman) Wideman, was born December 22nd,

1833. When a boy he attended the schools of the neighborhood where he obtained such an education as the public schools then afforded. When old enough to give a helping hand on the farm he was obliged to put by his books and perform such duties generally falling to the lot of the "Farm Boy." Not having any inclinations to the agricultural pursuits of life, the subject of our sketch chose that of the mercantile which seemed to be more natural and acceptable to his inclinations. In 1852 when only nineteen years of age, he left his parental home and came to Berlin, Waterloo County, where he was engaged as clerk in John W. Eby's store. Here he remained four months then went to St. Jacobs where he was clerking for George W. Eby who was then doing an extensive business in general merchandise. Here Mr. Wideman remained for nearly two years. In fall of 1854 he entered into partnership with Messrs. Tobias Yost and Rev. Philip Winkler under the name of Yost, Winkler & Wideman, as general merchants. This partnership was dissolved soon after the decease of Mr. Yost in 1856. In June, 1865, he received the appointment as post master for St. Jacobs, Ontario, and in 1866 he was elected as councillor for the township of Woolwich. In the year following he was elected as deputy reeve which position he held for five years (1867 to 1871 inclusive). In 1873 he received the appointment as clerk of Woolwich Township which position he still holds. Some twenty years ago he was appointed a justice of the peace for the county of Waterloo by the Ontario government. In June, 1874 he was also appointed issuer of marriage licenses. Mr. Wideman has, by his great perseverance and well directed energy combined with honorable and upright dealings, established a record and name for himself that shall not pass away for generations to come. He is a citizen worthy of imitation, and is genial and bland, always in good humor, and wears a smiling face for all. He is very affable and talkative, and I dare say no man ever saw him moody or morose. To all he is kind and courteous, charitable and humane, and always ready to extend a favor to any worthy object. On March 12th, 1854, he was married to Margaret, daughter of Jacob and Regina Dorothea (Schneider) Winkler. To them was born one child, viz:

8035 VIII WIDEMAN, MARY ANN, was born November 27th, 1854. On May 25th, 1876, she was married to Noah E. Haug, a watchmaker and jeweller. They reside in the city of Toronto, Ontario, where he is carrying on a well paying business. To them are born four children, namely: IX Orlando William, IX Luella Regina, IX Melvin Elbert, and IX Edna Margaret.

8036 VII WIDEMAN, HANNAH, the youngest daughter of Andrew and Anna (Lehman) Wideman, was born May 27th, 1836, and died September 15th, 1838.

8037 VI WIDEMAN, HENRY, was first married to Elizabeth Lehman and after her decease to Susannah Lehman, a cousin to his first wife.

8038 VI WIDEMAN, CHRISTIAN, was married to Catherine Huber.

8039 VI WIDEMAN, SAMUEL, was married to Barbara Heise.

8040 V WIDEMAN, BARBARA, was married to Michael Shenk, a farmer.

8041 V WIDEMAN, ELIZABETH, was married to Joseph Sherk, a farmer.

8042 V WIDEMAN, DANIEL, no report of him.

8043 V WIDEMAN, LYDIA, was married to Michael Eby, a farmer.

8044 V WIDEMAN, ANNA, was married to Joseph Heise, a farmer.

8045 V WIDEMAN, CATHERINE, was married to Henry Shenk, a farmer.

8046 V WIDEMAN, EVA, died in November 1809, aged 14 years.

8047 V WIDEMAN, REV. ADAM, was married to Magdalena Sherk.

8048 V WIDEMAN, JOHN, no report of him.

8049 V WIDEMAN, JACOB, was married to Barbara Lichty. They resided in Waterloo County where he followed farming.

8050 V WIDEMAN, HENRY, was married to Lizzie Huber.

8051 V WIDEMAN, JACOB, the only one of Rev. Henry Wideman's family who resided in Waterloo County, was married to Barbara Lichty. He resided in Woolwich Township where he was engaged in farming. To them was born a family of seven children, viz:

8052 VI WIDEMAN, CHRISTIAN, was married to Esther Oyer and resided in Pickering, York County, where he was farming.

8053 VI WIDEMAN, JACOB, was married to Mary Ann Lehman and resided in Hay Township, Huron County, where he was farming.

8054 VI WIDEMAN, JOHN, the third son of Jacob and Barbara (Lichty) Wideman, was born in Pickering Township, York County, Ontario, November 13th, 1817. He was married, April 25th, 1843, to Susannah, daughter of Michael and Elizabeth (Kreuter) Brand. She was born in Berlin, Ontario, March 1st, 1825. Shortly after their marriage they moved to Wilmot Township, near Manheim, on Rev. Moses Bowman's farm. From here they moved to Woolwich Township, a little north-west of the Conestogo Mennonite Meeting House, near the "Peterson Farm," where he died November 24th, 1856.

After his decease the widow was again married to Joseph Kinzinger. Mr. Wideman's family consisted of nine children, viz:

8055 VII WIDEMAN, CHRISTIAN, the eldest, is married to Catherine P. Martin (No. 4595). They reside in Peel Township, a few miles west of Elmira where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VIII Susannah, VIII Levi (dead), VIII Mary Ann and VIII Rebecca (twins) (both dead), VIII Henry and VIII Elizabeth (twins), VIII Enoch, VIII Noah, and VIII Menno.

8056 VII WIDEMAN, MENNO, is married to Judith Martin (No. 4389) and resides a little east of Elmira where he is engaged in farming. His family consisted of eight children, namely: VIII Veronica, VIII Susannah, VIII Maria, VIII Annie (dead), VIII Joseph, VIII Barbara, VIII Menno, and VIII Elias.

8057 VII WIDEMAN, TRUMAN, is married to Susannah Snyder and resides in Elmira where he is engaged in blacksmithing. To them are born eight children, namely: VIII Lydia Ann, VIII Leah, VIII Nathaniel, VIII Clara, VIII Emma, VIII Agnes, VIII Alvin (dead), and VIII Alice.

8058 VII WIDEMAN, JOHN, is married to Mary Cress (No. 2028) and resides in Peel Township, a little west of Yatton P. O. where he is engaged in farming. They have no family.

8059 VII WIDEMAN, ABRAHAM, is married to Anna Hembling. They reside near May City, Iowa, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born seven children, namely: VIII Susannah, VIII William, VIII Edwin, VIII Martha, VIII Ivan, VIII Veronica, and VIII Mariah.

8060 VII WIDEMAN, DAVID, was married to Veronica Heckedon who died December 21st, 1894. He resides in Berlin where he is engaged in the oil business. His family consists of three children, namely: VIII Richard, VIII Truman, and VIII Mabel.

8061 VII WIDEMAN, ELIZABETH, is married to Franklin Barrel, a farmer. They reside at Middleville, Michigan. To them is born one son named VIII Albert.

8062 VII WIDEMAN, SUSANNAH, is married to David Gingerich (No. 3207), a farmer. They reside near Floradale where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VIII Mary Ann, VIII John, VIII Moses, VIII Judith, VIII Enoch, VIII Susannah, VIII David (dead), VIII Joseph, VIII Magdalena, VIII Enos, and VIII Elias.

8063 VII WIDEMAN, BARBARA, is married to Jacob Shoemaker, a farmer. They reside in Pilkington Township, Wellington County, and have a family of three children, namely: VIII Melvin, VIII Addison, and VIII George.

8064 VI WIDEMAN, HENRY, was married to Barbara Eby. They resided in Hay Township, Huron County, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming.

8065 VI WIDEMAN, CATHERINE, was married to David Wagner, a wage-earner. They resided in different places in the county. He died in Conestogo and she died in Woolwich Township, near Elmira.

8066 VI WIDEMAN, ANNA, was married to John Lehman, a farmer. They reside in Markham Township, York County, Ontario.

8067 VI WIDEMAN, SALLIE, was married to John Bricker (No. 1239), a farmer. They resided in Wellesley Township, a little north-east of Hawksville, where she died in 1857, leaving a family of five children, namely: VII Esther, VII Jacob, VII Nancy, VII Elias, and VII Elizabeth.

WILE.

8068 II WILE, PETER, son of John Wile, was a native of Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was born March 24th, 1823. When a young man he came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County where he was engaged as a mason, bricklayer and plasterer. On December 27th, 1855, he was married to Sarah, youngest daughter of John and Hannah (Bergey) Bingeman. She was born in Waterloo County, November 13th, 1827. They resided about two miles north-east of Bridgeport where he died January 13th, 1892. His widow still resides on their old homestead. To them were born eight children, viz:

8069 III WILE, JOHN B., was born October 9th, 1856. He resides at Wabigina, Ohio, where he is engaged as foreman in some large roller flour mills. He is not married.

8070 III WILE, ALBERT B., was born September 10th, 1858, and died June 16th, 1862.

8071 III WILE, ISAAC B., was born July 15th, 1860. He is a carpenter and builder, and is married to Elizabeth Wagner. They reside on his father's old homestead. His family consisted of four children,

namely: IV Arthur (dead), IV Aaron (dead), IV John (dead), and IV Oscar.

8072 III WILE, HANNAH, was born April 15th, 1863. She is married to Samuel Johnson, a farmer. They reside near Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan. They have no family.

8073 III WILE, ANGELINE, was born September 15th, 1864. She is married to Henry Schaefer, a marble worker. They reside at Buffalo, New York, and have a family of two children, namely: IV Mabel and IV Jared.

8074 III WILE, JOSEPH B., was born May 18th, 1866. He is married to Martha Kuenben and resides at Bloomingdale where he is engaged as a wage-earner. His family consists of three children, namely: IV Gertrude, IV Sarah May, and IV Dora.

8075 III WILE, SOLOMON B., was born August 9th, 1867. He is unmarried and resides at Sturgis, Michigan, where he is engaged as a builder.

8076 III WILE, AARON B., the youngest in family, was born July 12th, 1869. He is unmarried and resides at Sturgis, Michigan, where he is engaged with his brother in contracting and building.

WILDFONG.

8077 I WILDFONG, GEORGE, the original ancestor of the numerous family of this name, was a native of Bohemia, emigrated to America and settled in North Carolina, U. S., as early as 1750 or 1751. He was a pious man and belonged to the society known as Moravians. His family consisted of several children but none of the names were received save that of Jacob and Mary who was married to Andrew Sararas.

8078 II WILDFONG, JACOB, was born in 1753. After he had attained the age of twenty years he was married to Susannah Ruth. During the latter part of the last century when the question of slavery was brought up and sanctioned by the state government, these Moravians were strenuously opposed to the measure, so much so that numbers of them left the state and moved to Pennsylvania, "the Quaker State," while others left some years later after the independence of the thirteen colonies was declared. Among the latter number was old Jacob Wildfong, the pioneer settler (of that name) in this country. About the year 1796 he, with his wife and family of three or four children, moved north to Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he resided for six years, then he, in company with others, moved to Canada in 1802 and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, on the west bank of the Grand River a little below the Toll Bridge, on the farm now owned by Ferdinand Miller. Here he resided until his son, Jonas, took possession of the farm then he moved a little west of what is now Strasburg where he died probably as early as 1830. His family consisted of seven children, viz:

8079 III WILDFONG, MICHAEL, was born in North Carolina, U. S. He never came to Canada.†

† Not known whether he died young or whether he was married when his parents moved to Canada.

8080 III WILDFONG, ELIAS,* the second in family. No information in regard to his family.

8081 III WILDFONG, JONAS, was born October 20th, 1790. He was married to Catherine Livergood who was born May 14th, 1793, and died February 9th, 1874. After his marriage he resided on his father's old homestead where he died November 20th, 1860. His family consisted of nine children, viz:

8082 IV WILDFONG, GEORGE, is married to Margaret Langley and resides in Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

8083 IV WILDFONG, JOHN, is married to Elizabeth Strohm and resides in Michigan. He is a farmer.

8084 IV WILDFONG, ELI, is married but name of wife was not received. He resides in Indiana where he is farming.

8085 IV WILDFONG, SUSANNAH, was married to Peter Wenger, a farmer. They reside in Indiana.

8086 IV WILDFONG, POLLY, is married to Peter Souder, a farmer. They reside near Dundalk, Ontario. See Peter Souder's family.

8087 IV WILDFONG, MARY, is married to William Grohn, a farmer. They reside near Neustadt, Ontario.

8088 IV WILDFONG, DAVID, is married to Elizabeth Grohn. They reside near Neustadt, Ontario, where he is farming.

8089 IV WILDFONG, ISAAC, a mason and bricklayer, is married to Mary Elliot. They reside near German Mills, Ontario. His family consists of eight children, viz:

8090 V WILDFONG, DAVID, is married to Barbara

* May have died in infancy.

Both. They reside near Port Elgin, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

8091 V WILDFONG, ISAAC, is married to Sophia Bauer. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as an auctioneer.

8092 V WILDFONG, HENRY, is married to Matilda Eagle. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in one of the factories.

8093 V WILDFONG, JANE HANNAH, is married to John Lemke, a spinner. They reside in Hespeler, Ontario, where he is engaged in the woollen mills.

8094 V WILDFONG, BARBARA, is married to William Eagle, a carpenter. They reside at German Mills, Ontario.

8095 V WILDFONG, NANCY, is married to James Picket, a wagon builder. They reside in the town of Galt.

8096 V WILDFONG, ALLIE MANDRIE, resides in Berlin where she is engaged in dressmaking. She is unmarried.

8097 V WILDFONG, EMANUEL, is married to Margaret Denman. They reside in Toronto where he is engaged as a bank clerk.

8098 IV WILDFONG, MICHAEL, the youngest in the family, is married to Mary Grohn. They reside in the state of Oregon, U. S.

8099 III WILDFONG, BENJAMIN, was married to Polly Hammacher. They resided in Wellesley for a number of years, then moved to Perth County, near Listowel, Ontario. To them were born seven

children, namely: IV Daniel, IV Aaron, IV Samuel, IV Jacob, IV Elizabeth, IV Veronica, and IV Caroline.

8100 III WILDFONG, JOSEPH, was born December 23rd, 1796. He was first married to Christina Groh and after her decease to Elizabeth Strycker who was born April 14th, 1808, and died February 3rd, 1877. They resided on a farm at Strasburg where they both died. He died June 23rd, 1870. His family consisted of twelve children, nine of which were born unto his first wife, viz:

8101 IV WILDFONG, ELI, was born March 15th, 1819. He was married to Nancy Mosser. They resided near Hespeler where he was engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, viz:

8102 V WILDFONG, JOHN, a farmer, is married to Catherine Holm. They reside near Hespeler, Ontario. Some time ago he was ordained as a minister of the (Dunkard) River Brethren denomination.

8103 V WILDFONG, JOSEPH, is married to Mary Groh. They reside in Parry Sound where he is engaged in farming.

8104 V WILDFONG, AMOS,† is married to Barbara Funk. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as a carpenter and builder.

8105 V WILDFONG, ELIZABETH, is married to Frederick Hiser, a mason. They reside near Shakespeare, Ontario.

8106 V WILDFONG, SARAH, is married to Rev. Henry Goudie. They reside at Elmwood, Ontario. See Rev. Henry Goudie's family.

† Father to Isaiah who was engaged for several years with The Berlin Publishing Co. of Berlin, Ontario.

8107 V WILDFONG, DANIEL, was married to Martha Holm and after her decease he was married again but name of second wife was not received. They reside in Puslinch Township, not far from Hespeler. He is a carpenter by trade.

8108 V WILDFONG, LEAH, was first married to Isaac Rist and after his decease to Aaron Snyder, a farmer. They reside near Kossuth, Ontario.

8109 V WILDFONG, ELI, was first married to Elizabeth Frickey and after her decease to Susan Wildfong. He is a farmer and lives in Huron County, Michigan.

8110 V WILDFONG, SIMON, resides in the city of Stratford, Ontario, where he is engaged as a wage-earner. He is married but name of wife was not received.

8111 V WILDFONG, PETER, twin brother to Simon, is unmarried. He has his home with his brother, John, where he is engaged as an assistant on the farm.

8112 IV WILDFONG, ANNA, was born June 17th, 1820. She was first married to Joshua Shoemaker and after his decease to Jacob Israel. They resided near Strasburg, Ontario. To her was born a family of children, namely: V John F. of her first husband and with her second husband there were several but names were not received.

8113 IV WILDFONG, ABRAHAM, was born January 22nd, 1822, and died in infancy.

8114 IV WILDFONG, JOSEPH, was born January 16th, 1823. He was married to Rebecca Lutz. They resided near Montpelier, Wisconsin, where he died. No information in regard to family.

8115 IV WILDFONG, JOHN, was born August 8th, 1825. He was first married to Lottie Livergood and after her decease he was again married but name of second wife was not received. He is a carpenter and builder and resides at Dundee, Washington County, Missouri.

8116 IV WILDFONG, GEORGE, was born July 24th, 1826, and died in infancy.

8117 IV WILDFONG, REV. LEVI, was born August 11th, 1827. On March 5th, 1850, he was married to Mary, daughter of David B. and Mary (Lyons) Weber. She was born February 3rd, 1825. They reside in Tavistock, Ontario, where he is engaged as an implement agent. He is a local minister of the Evangelical Association. His family consists of five children, namely: V Lydia, V Mary Ann, V Noah, V Moses, and V Louisa.

8118 IV WILDFONG, DANIEL, was born January 27th, 1832. He is married to Catherine Hemhoefer. They reside in Hay Township, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. No information in regard to family.

8119 IV WILDFONG, VERONICA, was born June 28th, 1835. She was married to Moses Weber, a farmer. They resided in Woolwich Township where she died. To them were born nine children, namely: V Polly, V Lydia, V Maude, V David, V Joseph, V Daniel, V Mary Ann, V Elizabeth, and V Homer.

8120 IV WILDFONG, ELIZABETH S., was born August 29th, 1843, and died in infancy.

8121 IV WILDFONG, GABRIEL S., was born August 21st, 1845, and died in infancy.

8122 IV WILDFONG, AMOS S., was born February 22nd, 1847. On December 28th, 1866, he was married to Sarah Guyer who was born January 9th, 1845. After his marriage he moved on his father's old place at Strasburg where she died April 20th, 1874. On September 15th, 1874, he was again married to Sarah Witmer who was born February 21st, 1843, and died December 1st, 1884. On February 12th, 1885, he was again married to Wilhelmine Radke who was born December 10th, 1857. His family consists of twelve children, namely: V Joseph C., V David, and Elizabeth with first wife, V Oliver (dead), V Norman, V Lorne W., and V Irwin with second wife, and V Almina Bertina, V Eliza May, V Amos Alexander, V August Gordon, and V Alton Sidney with third wife.

8123 III WILDFONG, SARAH, was married to John Hammacher. They reside near Wilmot Centre. To them was born a family of eleven children, namely: IV Mary, IV Elizabeth, IV Daniel, IV Leah, IV Jacob, IV Levi, IV Magdalena, IV Maria, IV Hannah, IV Amanda, and IV Jane.

8124 III WILDFONG, ELIZABETH, the youngest in family, was married to John Ringler, a farmer. They resided near Petersburg, Ontario. See John Ringler's family.

WING.

All the Wings of this and Huron County, Ontario, are descendants of old I Melchoir Wing, a native of Bavaria, Germany. He was born near Zweibruecken about the year 1770 and died in his parental home, leaving two sons, II George and II Carl, who,

after their father's death, emigrated to America. Carl settled in Maryland, near Baltimore, where he resided for some years. When pretty well advanced in years he, with his family, moved near Rochester, New York, where he died, leaving a large family whose children are now pretty much scattered throughout New York State in the vicinity of Buffalo, while others are residing in Michigan. George was married to Elizabeth Carsten, a native of Bavaria. After emigrating to America he settled temporarily near Baltimore, Maryland, and from there they moved to Rochester, New York. In 1832 they left Rochester and moved to Canada. They settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, a few miles south-east of Baden, at a place known as Wilmot Centre. Here they resided for a number of years, then the old pioneer sold this place and purchased a farm nearer New Hamburg, near Hostetler's and C. Christner's. When well advanced in years they moved to Hay Township, Huron County, where he died in 1874, aged 76 years, and she died about the year 1889, aged 86 years. To them was born a family of ten children, viz:

8125 III WING, CHARLES, was born in Baltimore, Maryland, February 22nd, 1822. In 1843 he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Isaac and Susannah Mosser. She was born in August, 1822. They resided in Wilmot Township where he was engaged in farming for many years. In their old age they moved to New Dundee, Ontario, where he died April 6th, 1895. Since the death of Mr. Wing the mother has her home in Waterloo with her daughter, Elizabeth (Mrs. Charles Schneider). To them were born thirteen children, four of whom died in infancy. The remaining nine all arrived at maturity. Their names are as follows:

8126 IV WING, ELIZABETH, the eldest in family, was born January 23rd, 1844. On September 20th, 1868, she was married to Charles Schneider. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged in the harness business. To them were born six children, namely: V Charles Henry (dead), V John

William (dead), V Lovina, V Harvey, V Ida Minerva, and V Salome Almeda.

8127 IV WING, CATHERINE, was born July 23rd, 1845. She was married to Charles Godbold, a shoemaker. They resided in Lakeview, Michigan, where she died in September, 1881, leaving a family of four children, namely: V Simon (dead), V Lovina, V Mahlon, and V Gray.

8128 IV WING, JAMES, is married to Abbie Morley. They reside in New Dundee, Ontario, where he was engaged in the mercantile business for a number of years. He now lives retired from all business and consequently has nothing to look after save that of the New Dundee mail, of which place he is postmaster. His family consists of four children, namely: V Effie, V Charles, V Maggie, and V Ross.

8129 IV WING, WILLIAM, is married to Carrie Gundrum and resides at Ionia, Michigan, where he is engaged in the saddle and harness business. His family consists of two children, namely: V Mabel and V Homer.

8130 IV WING, BARBARA, is married to George Wilhelm, a farmer. They reside near Poole, Perth County, Ontario. To them are born four children, namely: V Amelia, V Ida, V Israel, and V Mabel.

8131 IV WING, JACOB, is married to Flora Morris. They reside in New Dundee, Ontario, where he, in partnership with Mr. Master, is engaged in the mercantile business. His family consists of two children, namely: V Ella and V Roy.

8132 IV WING, CAROLINE, was married to Charles Godbold, a shoemaker. They resided in Rhinelander, Wisconsin, where he took sick and on his return home to Canada he died at Zurich, Huron

County, Ontario. The widow resides in the town of Waterloo, Ontario. Their family consisted of one child named V Jennie, born May 4th, 1884.

8133 IV WING, NANCY, is married to Henry Huether, a farmer. They reside at Grimsby, Ontario, and have a family of two children, namely: V Charles and V Lillie.

8134 IV WING, LOVINA, the youngest in family, is married to George Hoffman, a farmer. They reside at Baden, on the old "Morley Farm." To them are born three children, namely: V Edgar, V Arthur, and V Harvey.

8135 III WING, DANIEL, was born in 1823 and was married to Mary Luckebiehl. Soon after their marriage they moved on a farm a little west of Petersburg where he resided until 1885, then he disposed of the farm and moved to New Hamburg where he still resides. His family consisted of five children, viz:

8136 IV WING, BARBARA, is married to Jacob Zurbrigg. They reside in New Hamburg, Ontario, and have a family of seven children, namely: V Rebecca, V Lucy A. (dead), V Eda Letta (dead), V Daniel A., V Mahlon, V Charles E., V Thusnelda B. M.

8137 IV WING, JOHN, is married to Elizabeth Yaeger. They reside near New Hamburg where he is engaged in farming. They have two children, namely: V William A. and V Daniel H.

8138 IV WING, REV. MENNO, was born near Baden, Ontario, September 6th, 1852. His younger days were spent on the farm and in attending the public schools at Baden where he

received his first education. At sixteen years of age he went to Berlin where he was engaged in the mercantile business with Isaac Hoffman for nearly six years. Realizing the necessity of a better education he entered the North Western College at Naperville, Illinois, where he spent over four years in hard study. His purpose was to give his life to the christian ministry. Accordingly he entered the Canadian Conference of the Evangelical Association in 1878. He has served in said church regularly ever since, serving a number of congregations, when after ten years of service he was elected presiding elder which position he now holds for nearly two terms or eight years. He has been appointed three times as delegate to the General Conference, represented his conference for nine years as trustee of the N. W. College at Naperville, Illinois, and Union Biblical Institute, also at two annual sessions of the General Missionary Board of his church. For the last seven years he has again resided in the town of Berlin, Ontario. In addition to his district labors he has for the past eight years edited a religious monthly known as the *Evangeliums Bote.* On August 12th, 1880, he was married to Hannah Jane, daughter of Henry and Anna (Frick) Kletzing. She was born June 25th, 1857. To them is born a family of nine children, namely: V Anna May, V Wilford Earl, V Lewis Henry, V Rose Ethel, V Daniel Oscar, V Grace Edith, V Elmer Lloyd, V Amy Estella, V Jennie Gertrude Melvina.

8139 IV WING, DAVID, died aged about one year.

8140 IV WING, CATHERINE, the youngest in family, is married to Jeremiah Kercher, a farmer. They reside in Cavalier County, North Dakota. To them are born five children, namely: V Addie, V Naomi, V Daniel, V William, and V Barbara.

8141 III WING, SUSANNAH, is married to Frederick Heimbecker, a farmer. They reside in Dakota.

8142 III WING, WILLIAM, was married to Catherine

Rothaermel. They resided in Hay Township, Huron County, where she died some time ago.

8143 III WING, ELIZABETH, was married to David Ruby, a farmer. They resided in Hay Township where she died.

8144 III WING, CHARLOTTE, was first married to David Kercher and after his decease she was again married to Christian Schoch, a farmer. They reside in Hay Township, Huron County, Ontario.

8145 III WING, MARY, is married to John B. Geiger, a farmer. They resided in Huron County, Ontario, until about the year 1887 when they moved to Dakota.

8146 III WING, BARBARA, is married to Charles Brill. They reside in Zurich, Ontario, where he is engaged as a baker.

8147 III WING, GEORGE, is married to Hannah Jones. They reside near Elkton, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming.

8148 III WING, MAGDALENA, the youngest in the family, was married to George Kesselring, a farmer. They resided in Michigan where she died.

WISMER.

8149 I WISMER, JACOB, ancestor of the numerous family of that name in Bucks and Montgomery Counties of Pennsylvania, and other states of the United States, and also those that are found in the province of Ontario, Canada, are descendants of the same family. He was born in Germany about the year 1684 and died in Bedminster Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, February 4th, 1787, aged 102 years and a few months. The date of his emigrating to America is not known but may have been as early as 1710 or even before that date. The place of his landing is also uncertain. By some of his descendants it is supposed he landed at one of the Carolina States. Most probably he was one of the number of Germans who, being cruelly persecuted by the State Party in 1709, left their homes on the Rhine and emigrated to the wilds of America. They settled on the Roanoke and head waters of the Neuse River in North Carolina. *At the outbreak of the Indian war led by the Tuscaroras, the savages on the night of October 2nd, 1711, fell with such fury upon this German settlement that one hundred and thirty of them perished. No doubt the old progenitor was one of the unfortunate emigrants forming this settlement. Tradition has it that a sister who came with him to America, was one of the number who were killed. He, it is said, was allowed to escape the hands of those savages by means of a small bribe offered to one of the attacking parties. Once away from the settlement he travelled on foot north through Virginia and Maryland to Byberry in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, from whence he, at a later date, moved to Bucks County. It is not positively known when he moved to Bucks County but it is supposed that it was in the year 1726. He settled on a tract of land comprising 210 acres for which he paid £100 lawful money. On April 12th, 1773, the old progenitor

* W. W. H. Davis' "History of Bucks County."

sold his farm to his son, Henry, for £500. He is said to have had three wives, and was married to his third wife after coming north, about the year 1720, with whom he lived 67 years. She was 84 years of age at the time of her death. Her christian name was "Nanny" and she was the mother of all his children. Her maiden name is not positively known but may have been "Souder" as her children and grandchildren received legacies from one Jacob Souder whose daughter it is presumed she was. At the time of his death he had one hundred and seventy children and grandchildren. Although living to the great age of nearly one hundred and three years, he retained his mind until within about two months, and could walk and dress and undress himself within about two weeks of his death. Both his and his wife's remains were, no doubt, laid to rest in the grave-yard of the Old Mennonite Church at Deep Run where for many years they worshipped the God of their fathers and left to their numerous posterity an undying example to "go and do likewise." The children of Jacob and Nanny Wismer were eleven in number, all of whom were born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania. Their names are as follows: II Jacob, born in 1721, II Mary, born in 1723, II Elizabeth, born April 29th, 1725, II Joseph, born in 1728, II Henry, born in 1730, II Mark, born in 1737, died in 1831, II Daniel, II John, died in 1794, II Christian, died February 20th, 1795, II Nancy, and II Abraham, born February 20th, 1743, died April 27th, 1828.

8150 **II WISMER, JACOB,** has a few descendants in this county, namely, Mary Moyer, a great-great-grandchild, who is married to Tobias Shantz. She is a daughter of V Mary Nash and her husband, Abraham B. Moyer. Her grandfather was IV Abraham Nash who was married to Mary Gross. Her great-grandmother was III Elizabeth, the fifth child of II Jacob Wismer, who was married to Joseph Nash. (See "Wismer History"). VI Mary Moyer was born July 1st, 1840. On August 6th, 1863, she was married to Tobias, son of Benjamin and Lydia (Kolb) Shantz. They reside in the town of Berlin. He is a book agent. Their family consists of seven children, namely: Orpha Moyer, born May 27th, 1864, Lydia Mary Etta, born

October 9th, 1866, Sophia Emma, born May 4th, 1869, Austin Tobias, born October 5th, 1871, Arthur Benjamin, born November 22nd, 1876, Florence Annie Catherine, born December 28th, 1879, and Herbert Cecil Palmer, born May 3rd, 1883.

8151 III WISMER, JOSEPH, son of Joseph Wismer, was born near Hilltown, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, July 23rd, 1753, and died in Chester County, same state, August 20th, 1820. He was married to Barbara, daughter of Henry and Barbara (Lederach) Wismer. She was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, March 9th, 1766, and died January 28th, 1861. They had a family of ten children, viz:

8152 IV WISMER, ELIZABETH, was born December 8th, 1782, and died in March, 1836. She was married to Jacob Ruth.

8153 IV WISMER, BARBARA, was born June 13th, 1785, and died March 14th, 1870. She was married to Mark Fretz.

8154 IV WISMER, CATHERINE, was born January 23rd, 1787, and died September 23rd, 1859. She was married to John Althouse.

8155 IV WISMER, ESTHER, was born January 12th, 1790, and died September 2nd, 1881. She was married to John Cressman.

8156 IV WISMER, HENRY, was born March 11th, 1792, and died January 16th, 1793.

8157 IV WISMER, HENRY, was born March 10th, 1794, and died June 11th, 1876. He was married to Mary Cressman.

8158 IV WISMER, JOSEPH, was born April 9th, 1797, and died August 25th, 1861. He was never married.

8159 IV WISMER, JACOB, was born February 23rd, 1799, and died April 19th, 1871. He was married to Esther Rosenberger.

8160 IV WISMER, MARY, was born December 25th, 1801, and died December 31st, 1889. She was married to George Knipe.

8161 IV WISMER, ANNA, was born May 10th, 1806, and died October 6th, 1890. She was married to Isaac B. Tyson.

Most of the descendants of IV Elizabeth, IV Barbara, and IV Catherine are to be found in Montgomery and Bucks Counties, Pennsylvania. Very few, if any, have settled in Canada.

8162 IV WISMER, ESTHER, the fourth daughter of Joseph and Barbara Wismer, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, January 12th, 1790. In 1818 she came to Canada and settled in Waterloo County. On October 3rd, 1818, she was married to John, son of John and Anna (Schowalter) Cressman. He was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, May 15th, 1795, came to Canada with his parents in 1808 and settled in Waterloo County, a little below Freeport. After their marriage they moved on the farm now possessed by the heirs of the late Jacob Zeller, about one mile south of Breslau. Here they resided until his death which took place June 30th, 1840. After his decease she continued farming until her youngest son, Henry, had attained the age of manhood, then the farm was sold and the mother made her home with her daughter, Barbara, who was married to Samuel Cressman, where she died September 2nd, 1881. Their family consisted of five children, namely: V Joseph, V Anna, V John, V Barbara, and V Henry. See John Cressman's family.

8163 IV WISMER, HENRY, the sixth child of Joseph and Barbara Wismer, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, March 10th, 1794, and came to Canada in 1815. He was mar-

ried to Mary, daughter of Daniel and Esther (Bechtel) Cressman. She was born in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, August 17th, 1792, and came to Canada with her parents in 1806. In January, 1816 (a few weeks after their marriage), they moved on their farm three miles south-east of Berlin. This farm is still known as the old "Wismer Farm" and is at present owned by John Kercher. Here they resided until their deaths. She died July 12th, 1872, and he died June 11th, 1876. They had a family of eight children, viz:

8164 V WISMER, BARBARA, was born in Waterloo County, October 25th, 1816. On January 30th, 1838, she was married to David Bear who was born November 24th, 1810, and died in Oxford County, Ontario, July 6th, 1881. Some time after his death she moved to Clinton County, Michigan, where she died at the home of one of her children, August 28th, 1889. She had a family of ten children, namely: VI Amos, VI Henry, VI Mary, VI Abraham, VI Daniel, VI Elizabeth, VI Esther, VI John, VI Martin, and VI Sallie. See David Bear's family.

8165 V WISMER, ABRAHAM, was born in Waterloo County, Ontario, September 2nd, 1818, and died September 7th, 1823.

8166 V WISMER, DANIEL, was born in Waterloo County, July 29th, 1820. In 1843 he was married to Sallie, daughter of Peter and Susannah (Bomberger) Erb. She was born near Bridgeport, Waterloo County, Ontario, April 4th, 1823, and died in Marion County, Kansas, October 17th, 1885. After the decease of his wife he returned to Canada where he has since married Lydia Musselman, widow of the late Samuel Brubacher. They reside in the town of Berlin. Some thirty years ago he was ordained minister of the Mennonite body and while in Kansas he was ordained bishop. His family consisted of seven children, viz:

8167 VI WISMER, NOAH E., was born December 29th, 1844, and died April 9th, 1867. He was unmarried.

8168 VI WISMER, MOSES E., was born April 9th,

1846. On February 16th, 1868, he was married to Magdalena, daughter of Jacob and Magdalena (Snyder) Snider. She was born near Bloomingdale, December 6th, 1847. After their marriage they moved on the old "Wismer Farm" three miles southeast of Berlin where they resided for nineteen years, thence they moved to Doon where he went into partnership with T. & A. B. Snyder. From here he moved on a farm near Preston where he at present resides. His family consists of nine children, viz:

8169 VII WISMER, ORPHAN HENRY, born August 30th, 1869.

8170 VII WISMER, ADDISON MILO, born November 11th, 1870.

8171 VII WISMER, MALINDA JANE, born June 26th, 1872.

8172 VII WISMER, NELSON ALBY, born March 12th, 1874.

8173 VII WISMER, NORMAN GRANSON, born January 7th, 1876.

8174 VII WISMER, MOSES ALEXANDER, born May 22nd, 1877.

8175 VII WISMER, ERMINA ISABELLA, born May 30th, 1880.

8176 VII WISMER, ALICE SALOME, born August 22nd, 1883.

8177 VII WISMER, HERBERT DANIEL, born April 23rd, 1886.

8178 VI WISMER, ISAAC E., was born September 15th, 1847. On March 7th, 1869, he was married to

Susannah, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth Snider. She was born at Bloomingdale, October 7th, 1849. They reside in Elmira. Their family consists of six children, viz:

8179 VII WISMER, SARAH JANE, born July 1, 1871.

8180 VII WISMER, ALVIN EDGAR, born January 3rd, 1874.

8181 VII WISMER, ESTELLA FLORENCE, born November 30th, 1877, and died December 23rd, 1880.

8182 VII WISMER, IDA MAY, born May 16th, 1882.

8183 VII WISMER, ARTHUR ALEXANDER, born April 1st, 1884.

8184 VII WISMER, CLARENCE LESLIE, born May 12th, 1887.

8185 VI WISMER, ESTHER E., was born near Bridgeport, Waterloo County, Ontario, April 19th, 1849. She is married to John B. Kraft. They reside near Caledonia, Kent County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of ten children, namely: VII Lydia, VII Urias, VII Noah, VII Alfred, VII George, VII Robert Daniel, VII John, VII Edwin, VII Sarah, and VII Laura. See John B. Kraft's family.

8186 VI WISMER, HENRY E., was born near Bridgeport, Ontario, February 18th, 1851. On December 31st, 1871, he was married to Mary Ann, daughter of Hiram and Esther (Erb) Martin. She was born in Elmira, Ontario, February 7th, 1853. In September, 1877, they moved to Marion County, Kansas, where he died August 8th, 1887. On February 28th, 1893, she was married to John Schwindeman who

was born in Switzerland, March 21st, 1852, and came to Canada, Kansas, June 15th, 1883.

8187 VII WISMER, LAURA HELENA, was born in Waterloo County, January 30th, 1873. On April 24th, 1892, she was married to Charles A. McAlister who was born in Marion, Marion County, Kansas, March 4th, 1869. They have one child named VIII James Earl.

8188 VII WISMER, ELLA ETTA, was born in Elmira, Ontario, May 18th, 1874.

8189 VII WISMER, ANGELINE MINERVA, was born in Plattsville, Ontario, January 26th, 1876.

8190 VII WISMER, AMSIE ANDERSON, was born in Marion County, Kansas, February 1st, 1878.

8191 VII WISMER, NOAH ALEXANDER, was born in Marion County, Kansas, April 28th, 1879, and died September 18th, 1879.

8192 VII WISMER, ERVINE ISAIAH, was born in Marion County, Kansas, July 9th, 1880, and died July 17th, 1881.

8193 VII WISMER, CLARENCE ARTHUR, was born in Marion County, Kansas, October 20th, 1882.

8194 VII WISMER, JOHN HENRY, was born in Marion County, Kansas, July 7th, 1885.

8195 VI WISMER, LYDIA, was born near Bridgeport, Ontario, July 14th, 1852. On December 1st, 1872, she was married to Samuel S., son of Abraham and Barbara (Shantz) Moyer. He was born within the corporation of Berlin, March 1st, 1849. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as a book-keeper. They have a family of nine children, namely: VII

Elmina (dead), VII Amasa (dead), VII Alvin W., VII Daniel W., VII Myron W., VII Sarah Ann (dead), VII Cora, and VII Uella. See Samuel S. Moyer's family.

8196 VI WISMER, DANIEL E., the youngest son of Daniel and Sallie (Erb) Wismer, was born near Bridgeport, Ontario, January 31st, 1860. He is married to Theresa, daughter of Adam Gekel. She was born in the town of Berlin where they at present reside. He is an agent for some manufacturing companies. They had a family of three children, viz:

8197 VII WISMER, ALBERT, born in Berlin, Ontario.

8198 VII WISMER, LILLIE, born in Marion County, Kansas.

8199 VII WISMER, HARRY, born in Marion County, Kansas.

8200 V WISMER, JACOB, was born January 9th, 1822, and died September 9th, 1823.

8201 V WISMER, ELIZABETH, was born March 28th, 1824. On March 16th, 1847, she was married to Moses B. Snyder who was born March 12th, 1826, and died February 16th, 1868. To them were born nine children, namely: VI Mary, VI Amos W., VI Henry W., VI Abraham (dead), VI Magdalena, VI Jacob W., VI Ephraim W., VI Isaac W., and VI Menno W. See Moses B. Snyder's family.

8202 V WISMER, ESTHER, was born June 1st, 1826. She was married to Daniel Shantz who was born March 30th, 1827. She died November 20th, 1881, leaving a family of eight children, namely: VI Jacob, VI Henry, VI Noah, VI Maria, VI Daniel, VI Esther, VI Barbara, and VI Menno.

8203 V WISMER, MARY, was born June 12th, 1831. On June 21st, 1877, she was married to Abraham Cressman. See No. 2163.

8204 V WISMER, REV. HENRY, was born August 21st, 1833. He was married to Hettie Bleam. They resided in Waterloo County, Ontario, for some time, then he disposed of his estate and moved to Kent County, Michigan, where he was engaged in farming for some time. Not finding things as he had expected, he sold his farm and moved to Texas where the climate was not so severe as in the more northern states. Here he resided until his death which took place March 15th, 1885. Some years before he left Canada he was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite Church. His family consisted of the following children, namely: VI Menno (dead), VI Isaac, VI Noah, VI Daniel (dead), VI Sarah, and VI Henry.

8205 IV WISMER, JOSEPH, brother to Henry, was born April 9th, 1797, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, August 25th, 1861. He was not married.

8206 IV WISMER, ISAAC, son of Abraham and Veronica (Myers) Wismer, and grandson of Henry and Barbara (Lederach) Wismer, and a great-grandson of old Jacob Wismer, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, May 21st, 1782, and died in Lincoln County, Ontario, June 18th, 1842. He was married to Anna High (Hoch) and after her death to Anna Martin. His family consisted of thirteen children, and their descendants are to be found in Lincoln, Welland and other counties of Ontario. See "History of Wismer Family."

8207 IV WISMER, CATHARINE, sister to Isaac, was born July 23rd, 1787, and died in Lincoln County, Ontario, August 4th, 1858. She was married to

John High (Hoch). See "Wismer History" for particulars.

8208 III WISMER, JOSEPH, son of Henry and Barbara (Lederach) Wismer, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, April 1st, 1765. He was married to Hannah Fried who was born November 1st, 1760, and died June 6th, 1830. In 1800 they emigrated to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near Blair, where they resided until their deaths. He died November 29th, 1834. Their family consisted of seven children, viz:

8209 IV WISMER, ELIZABETH, was married to a Mr. Dodge. They resided in Waterloo County, Ontario, where they both died. They had a family but name of only one son has been received, namely: V Joseph Dodge of Plattsville, Ontario.

8210 IV WISMER, HENRY, was born in Bucks County, Pennsylvania, December 20th, 1789. He was married, April 23rd, 1818, to Hannah Schlichter. She was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, December 18th, 1798, and died in Waterloo County, Ontario, June 26th, 1878. They resided near Blair where he was engaged in farming. His death took place February 15th, 1854. Their family consisted of ten children, viz:

8211 V WISMER, JOSEPH, was born January 25th, 1819. He is void of hearing and speech and resides at Caledonia, Michigan.

8212 V WISMER, MARY, was born June 21st, 1821. She was married to Amos M. Clemens and died February 25th, 1875. See No. 1808.

8213 V WISMER, DAVID S., was born June 3rd, 1823.

He was married, September 5th, 1843, to Elizabeth Weber. They resided at Centreville, on the farm now possessed by John Erb. This farm they sold and moved to Blair where he followed farming many years. To them were born seven children, viz:

8214 VI WISMER, MARY ANN, was born in 1844. She was married to Isaac Oberholtzer. See Isaac Oberholtzer's family.

8215 VI WISMER, LYDIA ANN, was born in 1845. She is married to James Wright. They reside at Molesworth, Perth County, Ontario.

8216 VI WISMER, ISAAC H., was born in 1848. He is married to Mary Burkholder and resides in Preston, Ontario.

8217 VI WISMER, BENJAMIN S., was born in 1850. He is married to Dianah Abra and resides at Imlay City, Michigan, where he is engaged as a teamster. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Nancy H., VII Elizabeth A., and VII William W.

8218 VI WISMER, JOSEPH, was born in 1756 and resides at Mar, Bruce County, Ontario, where he is farming. He is married to Sophia Thomas.

8219 VI WISMER, NANCY, was born in 1857. She is married to John Sherk and resides at Brown City, Michigan.

8220 VI WISMER, DAVID EZRA, was born in 1865. He resides in Michigan and is married but name of wife was not received.

8221 V WISMER, SUSANNAH, was born November 27th, 1825, and died November 28th, 1825.

8222 V WISMER, DANIEL, was born September 29th, 1826, and died October 30th, 1827.

8223 V WISMER, ANNA, was born April 6th, 1829, and died January 11th, 1872. On October 17th, 1847, she was married to Rev. Benjamin Shupe. They resided near New Dundee where she died. See Rev. Benjamin Shupe's family.

8224 V WISMER, MOSES, was born September 15th, 1831, and died same day.

8225 V WISMER, LYDIA, was born May 2nd, 1833. On October 5th, 1852, she was married to Joseph C. Bowman. See No. 269.

8226 V WISMER, ELIZABETH, was born April 11th, 1835. She is married to Solomon Albright. They reside in Lincoln County, Ontario, near Jordan. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Ezra, married to Margaret Moyer, and VI Jacob.

8227 V WISMER, ISAAC, was born September 13th, 1840. On August 16th, 1874, he was married to Nancy Hilborn. They resided in Galt where he died. His family is as follows, namely: VI Cyrus and VI John.

8228 IV WISMER, BARBARA, was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, in 1792. She came to Canada in 1800 where she was married to Henry Schlichter who was born in 1789 and died of cholera, August 11th, 1834, and she died August 10th, 1834, leaving a family of three children. See Henry Schlichter's family.

8229 IV WISMER, CATHERINE, was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, April 11th, 1794. On May 4th, 1813, she was married to Henry B. K. Baumann.

She died at Preston, Ontario, November 22nd, 1881. See Nos. 489 to 510.

8230 IV WISMER, JACOB, was born in Pennsylvania, in June, 1797. He was married, in 1825, to Susannah Detweiler who was born June 22nd, 1810, and died July 2nd, 1874. He died in Huron County, Ontario, in February, 1875, leaving a family of three children, viz:

8231 V WISMER, CATHERINE, was born in Waterloo County, January 5th, 1839. She was married, June 11th, 1855, to Henry Treffry. They reside at Burnside Station, Manitoba. Their family consists of the following children, namely: VI Susannah, VI Phoebe, VI Mary, VI Robert, VI Jacob, VI William, VI Margaret, VI Emma, VI Jacob, VI Catherine, VI Lydia, and VI George.

8232 V WISMER, LEVI, was born August 10th, 1840. He is married to Mary Jane Broderick and resides at Redman, Michigan, where he is engaged as a joiner and millwright. His family is as follows, namely: VI Mary Elizabeth, VI Emma Rilla, VI Ella Nora, VI Shadrach Meshach Abednego, VI Isaiah, IV Catherine, and VI Levi.

8233 V WISMER, DAVID, was born in 1842 and died in 1844.

8234 IV WISMER, JOHN, was born in Chester County, Pennsylvania, April 2nd, 1799. He was married, in 1822, to Susannah Cressman who was born in 1801. They resided near Blair where he was engaged in farming. He died July 23rd, 1890, and she died in September, 1838. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

8235 V WISMER, JACOB, was born February 23rd, 1823. He was married to Leah Hammacher, July 11th, 1855. They reside at Garlington, Kansas, where he is engaged in farming. To them is born a family of four children, namely: VI Nancy, VI Cyrus, VI Sarah, and VI Aaron.

8236 V WISMER, HANNAH, was born May 23rd, 1825. She is married to Jesse Penfold, a farmer. They reside near Elora, Ontario, and have a family of eleven children, namely: VI Susannah, VI David (dead), VI Elijah (dead), VI James (dead), VI Thomas, VI Elizabeth, VI John Henry, VI Phoebe, VI Harriet (dead), VI Hannah, and VI Jesse.

8237 V WISMER, ABRAHAM, was born in April, 1827. He was married to Susannah Mott who was born September 10th, 1833. They resided near Blair, Waterloo County, Ontario, where he died in July, 1861. Their family consisted of four children, namely: VI Rachel Cornelia, VI John Louis, VI Stillman J., and VI Rebecca (dead).

8238 V WISMER, JOSEPH, was born April 20th, 1829. He was married to Charlotte Hewitt who was born July 1st, 1836. They reside near Blair, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming for many years. To them were born the following children, namely: VI Susannah, VI Mary (dead), VI Benjamin, VI Adeline, VI Sarah Jane, VI Hannah, VI Joseph, VI John, and VI William.

8239 V WISMER, ELIZABETH, was born March 13th, 1831. On February 17th, 1846, she was married to William Abra. He was born in England, November 6th, 1815, and died near Blair, July 20th, 1889. Their family consisted of fourteen children, namely: VI Deanna, VI Hannah, VI Joseph, VI Moses, VI

Susannah, VI John (dead), VI William, VI Elizabeth (dead), VI Harry Y., VI Eliza Y., VI Julia Ann, VI Jacob F., VI Noah, and VI Mary Ann.

8240 V WISMER, SUSANNAH, was born in August, 1833. She is married to William Pickett. They reside at Corinth, Michigan, and have a family of eight children, namely: VI Elizabeth, VI John, VI Esther (dead), VI Joseph, VI Mary (dead), VI Amos, VI George, and VI Jesse.

8241 V WISMER, JOHN, was born August 11th, 1835. On September 23rd, 1856, he was married to Nancy Snyder who was born November 28th, 1836. They reside near Blair, Ontario, where he followed farming many years. Their family consists of seven children, viz:

8242 VI WISMER, BENJAMIN S., was born June 10th, 1857. He is married to Catherine Kumpf, and resides at Blair, on his father's old homestead. To them were born five children, namely: VII Nancy (dead), VII Sarah (dead), VII Leah (dead), VII Mary, and VII Catherine.

8243 VI WISMER, JOHN, was born April 29th, 1859. He was married, May 12th, 1885, to Susannah Gehman.

8244 VI WISMER, DAVID, was born June 11th, 1861. On October 1st, 1889, he was married to Esther Shantz. They reside near Blair where he is engaged in farming. To them is born one child named VII David Elton.

8245 VI WISMER, REV. HENRY, was born March 23rd, 1863. On January 3rd, 1888, he was married to Lucinda Miller. After his marriage he was engaged in farming until 1892 when he entered the

ministry of the Mennonite Brethren in Christ body and at present he is stationed on the Markham field of labor. He proved to be successful in the ministry on the Maryborough field of labor which he left in May, 1894, and moved on his present circuit. His family consists of two children, namely: VII Harold and VII Russell.

8246 VI WISMER, LEAH, was born January 28th, 1865. On April 21st, 1891, she was married to John R. Naismith, a farmer. They reside at Blair and have a family of one child named VII John W.

8247 VI WISMER, NANCY, was born May 27th, 1867. On October 25th, 1887, she was married to John A. Gehman, a farmer. They reside at Freeport, Ontario, and have no family.

8248 VI WISMER, ISAIAH, born August 28th, 1870.

8249 V WISMER, HENRY, was born July 10th, 1837. On June 23rd, 1860, he was married to Margaret Smith. They reside near Amulree, Perth County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them are born seven children, viz:

8250 VI WISMER, ELIZABETH, was born January 5th, 1864. She is married to George J. Stueck and has a family of three children, namely: VII Maggie A., VII Albert J., and VII Adeline H.

8251 VI WISMER, EMMA, was born December 22nd, 1866. On March 2nd, 1885, she was married to Levi Cook, a farmer. Their family is as follows: VII Margaret Ellen (dead), VII Henry Edward, VII Phoebe Ann, VII William, and VII Maggie.

8252 VI WISMER, ELLEN, was born November 2nd, 1869. On March 10th, 1887, she was married to

William Cook, a farmer. To them are born two children, namely: VII Ephraim and VII Robert.

8253 VI WISMER, ANNIE, was born March 13th, 1873.

8254 VI WISMER, GEORGE, was born July 11th, 1876.

8255 VI WISMER, SUSAN, was born November 10th, 1878, and died April 3rd, 1880.

8256 VI WISMER, HENRY, was born September 26th, 1889.

8257 V WISMER, JULIA ESTHER, was born March 18th, 1840. On October 2nd, 1855, she was married to James Webster, a miller. Their family consists of three children, namely: VI William, VI Georgiana Elizabeth, and VI John Thomas.

8258 III WISMER, JOHN, was born March 10th, 1774, and died about the year 1840. He was married to Esther Fry. In 1800 they emigrated to Lincoln County, Ontario, where they resided for some time, then they moved to Elgin County where they both died, leaving a family of eight children, namely: IV Henry, IV Elizabeth, IV Mary, IV Jacob, IV Barbara, IV John, IV Nancy and IV Margaret.†

† For more information pertaining to this family see "History of Wismer Family."

WISSLER.

8259 I WISSLER, JACOB, the father to the Wisslers who had settled in this county, was born on the old "Wissler Homestead" on Mill Creek, Clay Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, November 12th, 1776. On March 25th, 1800, he was married to Anna, daughter of Christian and Catherine (Bricker) Eby. She was born September 9th, 1777, and died April 25th, 1829. They resided on the old "Wissler Homestead" until their deaths. He died April 27th, 1853. To them was born a family of ten children, namely: II Andrew, II Jacob, II Christian, II Magdalena, II Ezra, II John, II Catherine, II Mary, II Levi, and II Sem. All the members of the named family resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, save John and Sem who came to Canada in 1840 and settled at Lexington, near Bridgeport, Waterloo County, Ontario, where they were engaged in the mercantile and tanning business. In 1845 Sem moved to Nichol Township, Wellington County, thus leaving his brother John sole proprietor of the Lexington business. In 1857 Mr. John Wissler disposed of his farm and business to Messrs Schneider & Stricker and moved to Virginia, U. S., where he died some years ago, leaving a family of six children, viz: III Franklin, III Jacob, III Levi, III Aaron, III Hannah, and III Angelia. After Mr. Sem Wissler's arrival in Nichol Township, he purchased most of the land where now the village of Salem is situated. He was a man of first-class business abilities and this, in connection with his great energy and perseverance, caused him, in a very few years after his arrival in Nichol Township, to be the proprietor of the large grist and flour mills, store and tannery, and conjointly with the said business, he was also the owner and manager of the sawmills and the large farm now possessed by his son, Levi. In 1860 he was elected Reeve for Nichol Township which position he held until his death. Mr. Wissler was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, March 21st,

1819.† In 1840 he came to Canada and on August 6th, 1843, he was married to Jane Robertson who was born at Insch, Scotland, October 15th, 1828, and came to Canada with her parents in 1838. They moved to Salem in 1845. Here he died May 18th, 1865. His widow is still living in Salem with one of her children. To Mr. and Mrs. Wissler was born a family of seven children, viz:

8260 III WISSLER, JOHN ROBERTSON, the eldest, was born September 9th, 1844. He is married to Harriet Bigger and resides in Salem where he is the possessor of his father's grist and flour mills. He held the position as reeve for Nichol Township for many years and now is clerk for said township. His family consists of three children, namely: IV Franklin, IV Mary, and IV George Sem.

8261 III WISSLER, EZRA, was born May 15th, 1848. He was first married to Fannie Winfield and after her decease to Agnes Bigger. They reside at Salem where he is engaged in the mercantile business and has the post office in connection. He is also proprietor of the saw mills. His family consists of two children, namely: IV Fannie Maud Mary and IV Jane.

8262 III WISSLER, MARY ANN, was born April 27th, 1851. She is married to C. H. Bigger. They reside in Toronto where he is engaged in the piano and organ business. To them were born three children, namely: IV Leila W., IV Arthur P., and IV Florence Ethel.

8263 III WISSLER, ELIZABETH, was born October 25th, 1853. She is married to G. W. Field, a barrister. They reside in the city of Guelph and have two children, namely: IV Sem Wissler and IV Wilfrid.

† All the children of Mr. Jacob Wissler were born on the old "Wissler Farm" in Clay Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

8264 III WISSLER, LEVI, was born March 26th, 1856. He is married to Henrietta Shaw. They reside in Salem where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of seven children, namely: IV Harry, IV May, IV William, IV Rena, IV Levi Erb (dead), IV John Sem, and IV Erbie.

8265 III WISSLER, HENRY, was born August 1st, 1860. He is a barrister and has its law office in Elora where he resides. He is married to Barbara Foote.

8266 III WISSLER, SEM, the youngest in the family, was born December 13th, 1865. He is unmarried and resides in Toronto where he is ledger-keeper in the bank of British North America.

WITMER.

The progenitor of the Witmers of Canada was a native of Switzerland where he was born probably as early as 1735. He emigrated to America and settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, about the year 1760. All the information that could be obtained in regard to this old progenitor was that his name was Christian and that his family consisted of nine children. The names of four were II David,‡ II Henry, II Abraham, and II Joseph.†

8267 II WITMER, ABRAHAM,* was married to Anna Eversole. In 1804 he, with his wife and family of

‡ One of David's sons (Martin) settled in this county at an early date.
† These four sons were of the younger members of the progenitor's family.
* Could not obtain any dates in regard to Abraham's birth or death.

three children, moved to Canada and settled on the farm now possessed by their grandson, Mr. Levi Witmer. This farm is situated about one and one-half miles north-east of Preston. Here they resided until their deaths. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

8268 III WITMER, DAVID, was married to Elizabeth Dettweiler. They resided in Puslinch Township, about three miles north-east of Hespeler, near the Guelph Road, where they had a family of eight children, viz:

8269 IV WITMER, ABRAHAM, was married to Matilda Fisher and resides in Hespeler, Ontario. They have no family.

8270 IV WITMER, NANCY, is married to Christian Heisie. They reside in Markham Township, York County, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of four children, namely: V David, V John, V Elizabeth, and V Jacob.

8271 IV WITMER, ISAAC, was accidentally drowned when young.

8272 IV WITMER, HENRY, was married to Dianah Moyer. They reside at Caledonia, Michigan, and have a family but names of children were not received.

8273 IV WITMER, FANNIE, is married to Abram R. Witmer. They reside at Kossuth, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of seven children, namely: V Nancy, V Ephraim, V Henry (dead), V Ellen (dead), V Rachel, V Isaiah, and V Jeremiah (dead).

8274 IV WITMER, SUSANNAH, is married to John Elliot, a farmer. They reside at Waldemar, On-

tario, and have five children but the names were not received.

8275 IV WITMER, ELIZABETH, died, unmarried, aged about thirty years.

8276 IV WITMER, HANNAH, is married to William Jackson and resides in Hespeler, Ontario. They have had four children, two of whom died in infancy. The two living are V David and V Hannah.

8277 III WITMER, JACOB, was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, December 27th, 1801. On September 14th, 1828, he was married to Anna Reist who was born April 24th, 1807, and died March 4th, 1888. After their marriage they moved on his father's old place near Preston where he died April 17th, 1888. To them were born ten children, viz:

8278 IV WITMER, SUSANNAH, was born June 3rd, 1829, and died May 2nd, 1847.

8279 IV WITMER, ANNA, was born August 27th, 1831, and died, unmarried, June 4th, 1878.

8280 IV WITMER, ABRAHAM R., was born October 3rd, 1833. He was married, October 29th, 1854, to Fannie Witmer who was born May 26th, 1835, and resides at Kossuth, Ontario, where he is farming. Their family consists of seven children, viz:

8281 V WITMER, NANCY, was born January 26th, 1856. She is married to William Lock and resides in Innerkip, Oxford County. They have five children, namely: VI Watson E. and VI Lizzie P. (twins), VI Fannie G., VI Flossie M., VI Franklin C.

8282 V WITMER, HENRY W., was born September 7th, 1858, and died, unmarried, January 9th, 1872.

8283 V WITMER, EPHRAIM, was born June 29th, 1860. He is married and resides at Mackinaw, Michigan. No family.

8284 V WITMER, ELLEN, was born January 4th, 1862, and died March 6th, 1891. She was married to John Anger and left one son named VI Wesley Jeremiah.

8285 V WITMER, RACHEL, was born October 22nd, 1865. She is married to Franklin Martin. They reside in Oxford County, near Tavistock, Ontario, and have two children named VI Elmer Wallace and VI Violet Minetta.

8286 V WITMER, ISAIAH, was born July 26th, 1869. He is married to Lovina Getman and resides near Maplewood P. O., Oxford County, Ontario. No family.

8287 V WITMER, JEREMIAH, was born December 11th, 1874, and died September 6th, 1893.

8288 IV WITMER, JOHN, was born November 30th, 1835. He was married to Mary Stauffer. After their marriage they resided at Shantz Station, thence they moved to Lapeer County, Michigan, where he died October 8th, 1881, leaving a family of two children, namely: V Jacob and V Lydia.

8289 IV WITMER, HENRY, was born October 11th, 1837. He was married to Susannah Stauffer. They resided at Brown City, Michigan, where he died April 11th, 1888, leaving five children, namely: V Nathaniel, V Amos, V Allen, V Rachel, and V Ervine.

8290 IV WITMER, JACOB, was born June 30th, 1842, and died January 10th, 1843.

8291 IV WITMER, LEVI R., was born May 23rd, 1844. He was married, May 14th, 1878, to Mary Cober. They reside near Preston, on the old "Witmer Farm" and have a family of four children, namely: V Albert, V Jesse, V Minnie, and V Leslie.

8292 IV WITMER, ELIZABETH, was born April 26th, 1846, and died April 30th, 1846.

8293 IV WITMER, NOAH, was born October 23rd, 1848, and died November 24th, 1848.

8294 IV WITMER, DAVID, was born November 23rd, 1849. He is married to Hettie Groh and resides in Lapeer County, Michigan, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born five children, namely: V Herbert, V Ada (dead), V William Ervine (dead), V Ida, and V Gordon.

8295 III WITMER, ABRAHAM, third son of Abraham and Annie (Eversole) Witmer, was married to Catherine Groh. They resided north of Hespeler, near what is known as "Tuck's Hill" where they possessed a beautiful farm. They are both dead. To them was born a family of fifteen children, viz:

8296 IV WITMER, JOSEPH, is unmarried and resides at Kingsmill, Michigan. He has his home with his sister, Annie.

8297 IV WITMER, SUSANNAH, was married to David Bear, a farmer. They resided in Colborne Township, Huron County, Ontario, where she died.

8298 IV WITMER, POLLY, is married to Edward Graybill. They reside in Howick Township, Huron County, where he is engaged in farming.

8299 IV WITMER, ABRAHAM, was first married to a Miss Thaler and after her death to Cate Haist.

They reside in Howick Township, Huron County, Ontario. He is a farmer.

8300 IV WITMER, ANNIE, is married to David Holm. They reside at Kingsmills, Michigan, where he is engaged in the mercantile business.

8301 IV WITMER, JOHN, is married to Hannah Funk. They reside in Elice Township, Huron County, where he follows farming.

8302 IV WITMER, CATHERINE, died, aged about 16 years.

8303 IV WITMER, AARON, died in infancy.

8304 IV WITMER, ISAAC, is married to Leah Bear. They reside in Wilmot Township, near Huron Road. He is a farmer.

8305 IV WITMER, BENJAMIN, is married to Susannah Cober. They reside in Wananosh Township, Huron County, Ontario, where he is farming.

8306 IV WITMER, HANNAH, was married to Rev. William Bergey. She died while they were stationed on a circuit in Michigan, U. S.

8307 IV WITMER, SARAH, was married to Amos Wildfong, a farmer. They resided at Strasburg, Ontario, where she died some years ago.

8308 IV WITMER, HENRY, is married to Mary Ann Buckler. They reside in Breslau, Ontario, where he is engaged at his trade, harness making. In connection with his business he has a small store and the post office.

8309 IV WITMER, SAMUEL, was a carpenter by trade. He was married to Sarah Rife and resided in Hespeler where he died some time ago.

8310 IV WITMER, MOSES, the youngest in family, was married but name of wife has not been received. He used to follow teaching and while engaged in one of the Wilmot schools he took consumption and after a lingering illness of about one year he died.

8311 III WITMER, JOSEPH, was born July 11th, 1812. On December 22nd, 1834, he was married to Susannah Groh who was born October 9th, 1817, and died January 30th, 1849. On May 24th, 1852, he was married again to Catherine Sherk who was born April 1st, 1826. He lived on a farm near Hespeler for many years but of late they reside in Hespeler with their son-in-law, Mr. Isaac Goudie. Mr. and Mrs. Witmer are pretty well advanced in years and are getting to be quite feeble at times. She causes much trouble and care to her daughter, Susannah, who is constantly staying with her. Mr. Witmer's family consisted of ten children, five of whom were born unto his first wife and five unto his second. Their names are as follows:

8312 IV WITMER, CAROLINE, was born April 16th, 1837. She is married to Jacob Hilborn, a miller. They reside at Blair and have a family of eleven children, namely: V Isaac, V Amos, V Aaron, V Emanuel, V David, V Joseph, V Jesse, V Jacob, V Eliza (dead), V Edwin, and V Milton. See Jacob Hilborn's family.

8313 IV WITMER, LEAH, was born December 13th, 1838, and died in infancy.

8314 IV WITMER, EMANUEL, was born March 26th, 1841. He is married to Mary Timm and resides in Howick Township, Huron County, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. His family consists of eight children, namely: V Dianah (dead), V Simon, V Angeline (dead), V Ervine, V Cyrus, V Noah, V William (dead), and V Wesley (dead).

8315 IV WITMER, ELIZA, was born August 6th, 1843, and died, unmarried, July 23rd, 1888.

8316 IV WITMER, MARY, was born June 7th, 1846. She is married to John Reichart, a farmer. They reside in Howick Township, Huron County, Ontario, and have a family as follows, namely: V Angelina, V Minerva, V Joseph E., V Jacob A., V Laura, V Oliver, V Edwin, and V John A.

8317 IV WITMER JACOB S., was born January 10th, 1854. He is married to Esther Bechtel and resides in Michigan where he is farming. His family consists of six children, namely: V Alvin, V Joseph, V Minerva, V Norman, V John, and V Anson.

8318 IV WITMER, SUSANNAH, was born August 15th, 1855, and is married to Isaac Goudie. They reside in Hespeler where he is engaged in some store. To them is born the following children, namely: V Arthur R., V Robert J., V Alice L., and V Janet Myrtle.

8319 IV WITMER, JOSEPH S., was born May 18th, 1858, and died October 2nd, 1874.

8320 IV WITMER, AARON S., was born March 15th, 1861. He is married to Lydia Thomas and resides in Berlin where he is engaged as a cabinet maker. They have one child named V Altie Violet.

8321 IV WITMER, DILMAN, was born June 17th, 1868. He is unmarried. At present he resides at Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged in clerking in a hardware store.

8322 III WITMER, HENRY, the fifth son of Abraham and Anna (Eversole) Witmer, was married to Esther Miller. They resided on a farm near old Absalom

Snyder's place not far from Kossuth. They are both dead. No issue.

8323 III WITMER, ELIAS, was married to Elizabeth Miller. They were the owners of a beautiful farm near Hespeler where they resided many years. To them were born five children, viz:

8324 IV WITMER, SARAH, was married to a Mr. Dowling. She, at the time of her death, left one son named V Arthur.

8325 IV WITMER, AMOS, is in the state of Washington. He was married twice and has a family but names of neither wife nor children has been received.

8326 IV WITMER, ABRAHAM, nothing heard of him.

8327 IV WITMER, CHRISTIAN, died, unmarried, some years ago.

8328 IV WITMER, ABNER, not known where he is. Was unmarried when last heard of him.

8329 III WITMER, CHRISTIAN, was married to Magdalena Wanner. They resided near Preston, on the farm now in possession of Isaiah Holm. Here he died. She died near Plattsville, Ontario, at the home of her son, David. Their family consisted of eight children, viz:

8330 IV WITMER, JOHN, the eldest, died, unmarried, aged about 21 years.

8331 IV WITMER, CHRISTIAN, was married to Mary Bechtel. They resided in Dumfries where he was farming.

8332 IV WITMER, SALLIE, was married to Abram Bear. They resided in Huron County, Michigan.

8333 IV WITMER, NANCY, was married to John Oberholtzer. They resided near Hespeler, Ontario.

8334 IV WITMER, SAMUEL, died, unmarried, at Washington, Oxford County, Ontario, aged some forty years.

8335 IV WITMER, LEAH, was married to Reuben Strickler, a farmer. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, Ontario, where she died.

8336 IV WITMER, ELIZABETH, is married to Reuben Strickler, her deceased sister's husband. They reside in Blenheim Township where he is farming.

8337 IV WITMER, DAVID, was married to Hannah Shantz. They resided in Plattsville, Ontario, where she died. He is a sawyer and dealer in lumber.

8338 III WITMER, ELIZABETH, was married to Henry Holm. They resided in Blenheim Township, Oxford County, for many years, then they moved to Iowa where he died. They had a numerous family but names of children were not received.

8339 III WITMER, VERONICA, the ninth and youngest child of Abraham and Anna (Eversole) Witmer, was married to Cornelius Pannebecker. They resided about two miles east of Hespeler, on the farm now in possession of their son, Elias. Here they died some years ago, leaving a family of four children, namely: IV Elias, IV Esther, IV Anna, and IV Samuel. See Cornelius Pannebecker's family.

8340 III WITMER, MARTIN, son of David Witmer,* was born in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, April 22nd, 1800.

* II David was an elder brother to II Abraham who settled near Hespeler in 1804.

He came to Canada when a young man and settled at Hespeler. After being here for several years he and his cousin, Jacob Witmer, went to Pennsylvania on a visit. After spending several months with their Pennsylvania friends, they returned to their Canadian home where Mr. M. Witmer was (soon after his return) married to Catherine Rittinger. She was born January 7th, 1812, and died May 5th, 1877. After their marriage they moved on the farm now possessed by John Clemens, near "Fisher's Mills," where they resided many years. When well advanced in years they moved to Hespeler where they resided until their deaths. He died March 7th, 1853. To them were born twelve children, viz:

8341 IV WITMER, NANCY, was born March 16th, 1828. She was first married to George Ratz and after his decease to Archibald Murry, a farmer. They reside near Lisburn P. O., Perth County, Ontario. They have six children, namely: V Elizabeth, V Catharine, V Caroline, V John, V William, and V Henry.

8342 IV WITMER, BARBARA, was born March 6th, 1832, and died February 6th, 1875. She was married to John Ross and resided at Grimsby, Ontario. To them were born three children, namely: V Catharine, V Alexander, and V Anna.

8343 IV WITMER, DAVID D., was born June 6th, 1834. He was married to Matilda Fisher and resided in Hespeler where she died January 9th, 1893. They had no family.

8344 IV WITMER, SUSANNAH, was born November 28th 1839. She is married to Valentine Limpert, a butcher and dealer in all kinds of meat and sausage. They reside in Hespeler, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: V Martin, V John, V Catie, V Louisa, V Harry, V Orion, V Annie, V Ervine, V

Bernard, V Christie, V Alice, V Luella, V Edward (dead), V George (dead), and a son (dead), name not received.

8345 IV WITMER, ESTHER, was born January 5th, 1841. She is married to Charles Howard. They reside in Montana, U. S., where he is engaged in farming. Their family consists of one child named V Lillie.

8346 IV WITMER, MAGDALENA, was born June 1st. 1842. She is unmarried and resides in Hespeler with her sister, Christina.

8347 IV WITMER, JOSEPH, was born April 22nd, 1844. He was married to Jennie Sweet and resides in Montana, U. S., where he is engaged in blacksmithing. His family consists of one son named V Percy.

8348 IV WITMER, CHRISTINA, was born September 27th, 1846. She resides in Hespeler where she is engaged in dressmaking.

8349 IV WITMER, MARTIN, was born April 14th, 1848. He is married to Sarah Welland and resides at Helena, Montana, U. S., where he is engaged as a carriage and wagon builder. He has no family.

8350 IV WITMER, CATHERINE, was born May 23rd, 1850. She resides at Albany, New York, and is married to James Geary, a mechanist. They have five children, namely: V Wilfrid, V Annie, V Horace, V Alvin, and V Homer.

8351 IV WITMER, MARY ADLINE, twin sister to Catherine, was born May 23rd, 1850. She resides in Galt and is married to Charles Connawarf, a wage-earner. They have four children, namely: V Mabel, V Olive, V Eric, and V Lee.

8352 IV WITMER, POMELIA, the youngest in the family, was born March 21st, 1853. She is married to Enoch E. Eaton, a teamster and drayman. They reside in Hespeler and have a family of nine children, namely: V Leslie, V Bella, V Melvin, V Levi, V Izona, V Ervine, V Edwin, V Percy and V Andrew.

WOOLNER.

8353 I WOOLNER, ISAAC, father to Rev. Jacob and Isaac Woolner, was born near Beckles, St. Andrews Township, Suffolk County, England, August 1st, 1792, and died April 8th, 1860. He was married to Sarah Hembling who was born July 11th, 1797, and died of cholera, at Brdgeport, Ontario, July 8th, 1832. In 1832 they, with their family of six children, together with William Howlett and family and James Howlett and family, emigrated to America, arriving at Hamilton, Ontario, during the third week in June. While at Hamilton they, for several days, resided in a house in which the former residents had died of cholera. Here they contracted this dreadful disease which proved fatal to so many of the small number immediately after their arrival at Mr. Peter Erb's, a little north of Bridgeport, in the evening of the 28th day of June, 1832. They came from Hamilton with Mr. Peter Erb who was there on business. No sooner were they in possession of their new home when one of their children took sick and before morning proved a victim to cholera. In less than ten days eight of the party died of the same disease. Some are buried on Dilman Moyer's farm near Bridgeport while the Howlett's are buried at Snyder's, Bloomingdale. Noah Hembling and his wife, relatives of those who came

in 1831, also died of the same decease. They are buried on Mr. Moyer's farm. After the decease of the mother of the named family, the father, Isaac Woolner, was married again. His second wife was Bridget Connor, widow of Mr. Connor. There were six children of second wife, namely: II Ann, married to Samuel Rowney, II Abraham, II William, married to a Miss Moore, II George, II James, and II Mary Jane, married to Joseph Carr. The family of Isaac Woolner and his first wife, Sarah Hembling, is as follows, viz:

8354 II WOOLNER, MARTHA, was born March 9th, 1820. She was married to Richard Young.

8355 II WOOLNER, ABRAHAM, was born March 4th, 1822. He died of small pox at Jacob Shantz's, about two miles from Bloomingdale, April 1st, 1838.

8356 II WOOLNER, ISAAC, was born in November, 1824. He is married to Lydia Watson. They reside a few miles west of Berlin and have a grown family.

8357 II WOOLNER, JACOB, the third son of Isaac and Sarah (Hembling) Woolner, was born in Suffolk, England, September 25th, 1826. He came to America with his parents in June, 1832. After the arrival in Canada he had the misfortune of losing his mother. He was raised by Deacon Samuel Eby. On September 30th, 1849, he was married to Hannah, daughter of Mattias and Susannah (Ries) Schiedel. She was born March 15th, 1828. On March 16th, 1854, they moved on the farm composed of parts of lots Nos. 103 and 110, German Company's Tract, about one mile west of Kossuth, where they still reside with their son, Jacob. On May 30th, 1867, he was ordained, by Bishop Joseph Hagey, as a minister of the Mennonite body which position he has held ever since. He proved himself to be an able speaker and a good worker in the cause of the Lord. Of late years he suffered much through sickness and bodily weakness so that he was not able to fill his pastoral appointments. His family consisted of ten children, viz:

8358 III WOOLNER, SARAH, was born June 30th, 1850. She is married to Theodore E. Weber. They reside three miles east of Berlin, on his father's old homestead. Their family consists of four children, namely: IV Susannah, IV Simeon (dead), IV Celina, and IV Hannah.

8359 III WOOLNER, NOAH, was born January 20th, 1852, and died in November, 1881. He was married to Maria Eby and resided in Aldborough Township, Elgin County, Ontario, where he was engaged in farming. They had a family of five children, namely: IV Ervine, IV Neander, IV Norman, IV Jemima, and IV Arthur.

8360 III WOOLNER, ISAAC, was born January 24th, 1854. He is married to Mary Navitzeral. They resided near Ubly, Michigan, where she died February 16th, 1889. They had a family of four children, namely: IV Joseph, IV Matilda Ann, IV Hannah, and IV May Ella.

8361 III WOOLNER, JOHN, was born August 23rd, 1855. He is married to Hannah Clemmer. They reside near Chicopee, on the farm formerly owned by Peter M. Weber, and have had six children, namely: IV Malinda, IV Almina, IV Addison, IV Nelson, IV Luanna (dead), and IV Irena.

8362 III WOOLNER, MARTIN, was born July 4th, 1857. He is married to Magdalena Strickler. They reside in Aldborough Township, Elgin County, Ontario, where he follows farming. To them were born three children, namely: IV Alice, IV Elsie, and IV Harvey.

8363 III WOOLNER, JACOB, was born November 15th, 1859. He is married to Lovina Weber and resides on the old homestead where he is engaged in

farming. They have a family of six children, namely: IV Minerva, IV Simon, IV Anson, IV Elam, IV Nora, and IV Ida.

8364 III WOOLNER, LEAH, was born February 1st, 1862, and died same day.

8365 III WOOLNER, SOLOMON, was born February 10th, 1863. He is married to Paulina Treisch. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in working with the carpenters. To them were born four children, namely: IV Edwin, IV George Alvin, IV Herbert (dead), and IV Ephraim.

8366 III WOOLNER, HANNAH, was born August 8th, 1865. She is unmarried and resides with her parents.

8367 III WOOLNER, LYDIA ANN, was born June 7th, 1868, and died October 4th, 1872.

8368 WOOLNER, WILLIAM, with family of six children, came from England to Canada in 1835. Their names are as follows:

8369 WOOLNER, HANNAH, was born in Suffolk, England, July 22nd, 1825. She was first married to William Buehler and after his decease to Abraham Baumann. They reside near Bloomingdale. She has no children.

8370 WOOLNER, SARAH, was born in Suffolk, England, May 13th, 1827. On March 4th, 1851, she was married to Henry Cressman. They reside on central part of lot No. 119, German Company's Tract, about three miles east of Berlin. Their family consists of five children, viz:

ESTHER, born April 29th, 1852, died March 5th, 1856.

ADELINE, born March 21st, 1855, died August 21st, 1862.

SUSANNAH, born July 25th, 1857, is married to John Devitt.

LOUISA, born June 1st, 1860, is married to Dilman M. Brubacher.

PHILLIS, born August 25th, 1863, is married to George S. Weber.

8371 WOOLNER, ANN, married to George Gier.

8372 WOOLNER, CHARLOTTE, married to William King.

8373 WOOLNER, JAMES, married to Mary Hewitt.

8374 WOOLNER, SAMUEL, died young.

YOST.

8375 I YOST, TOBIAS, was the earliest settler of the Yost family in Waterloo County. In 1831, he, in company with others, left his native home in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, and moved to Canada. Early in May of the same year he arrived at Waterloo, Ontario, where he made his home for a short time with old Abraham Erb who assisted him in procuring a position to work at his trade, namely, that of shoemaking, which he followed for two or three years after his arrival in the country of his adoption. In 1832 he was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth (Cressman) Erb. She was born January 28th, 1813, and died February 8th, 1868. Soon after their marriage they moved to Woolwich Township, about a mile east of St. Jacobs, Ontario, on the farm now possessed by John M.

Weber where he followed farming several years. When pretty well advanced in years he entered into the mercantile business in partnership with Rev. Philip Winkler and transacted business in St. Jacobs for several years. Mr. Yost was born February 9th, 1805, and died November 6th, 1856, leaving a family of the following children, viz:

8376 II YOST, JACOB, was born October 19th, 1833. He is married to Margaret Reichert and resides at Elmira, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born six children, namely: III Magdalena, III Levi, III William Henry (dead), III Johannah, III Amanda, and III Lydia Ann.

8377 II YOST, MAGDALENA, was born December 18th, 1835. She is married to Bernard Haist, a farmer. They reside near Cassell, Oxford County, Ontario, and have a family of seven children; namely: III Louisa, III Josiah, III Aaron, III Amos, III Martin, III William, and III Ezra.

8378 II YOST, POLLY, was born April 29th, 1839, and died August 9th, 1855.

8379 II YOST, TOBIAS, was born April 7th, 1841, and died March 23rd, 1843.

8380 II YOST, SARAH, was born March 14th, 1843, and died April 26th, 1843.

8381 II YOST, SIMON, was born April 29th, 1845. He is married to Mary Ann Schiedel. They reside in the town of Berlin where he is engaged in the grocery business. To them was born one son named III Harry who died young.

8382 II YOST, AMANDA, was born August 14th, 1848. She is married to John Reichert. They reside in Bridgeport, Ontario, where he is engaged in the grocery business. Their family is as follows,

namely: III Oscar, III Charles, III Mary, III Lovina, III David, III Simon, III Franklin, III Vinetta, III Pearlie, and III Harry.

8383 II YOST, MARTIN, was born July 23rd, 1850. Some years ago he went to the Western States. Nothing heard of him for some years. It is supposed by many that he is dead.

8384 II YOST, LOUISA, was born August 15th, 1852, and died August 5th, 1854.

8385 II YOST, TOBIAS E., was born March 7th, 1856, and died July 8th, 1856.

ZELLER.

The Zellers of this county are descendants of old Philip Zeller, a native of Rhein Baierin, Germany, where he was born February 2nd, 1791. He was married to Elizabeth Glueck who was born in the same place January 10th, 1792. In 1833 they emigrated to America and in June of the same year they came to Buffalo, New York, where they made a stay of only three weeks. From here they moved across the boundary line and settled within one-half mile from St. Catharines, Lincoln County, Ontario, where he purchased a farm. Here she died September 18th, 1844. In April, 1846, Mr. Zeller disposed of his real estate and moved to Waterloo County, Ontario, where he purchased the farm of John Cressman, deceased. This farm contained 183 acres and the price paid for it was $4600. In 1854 this large farm was divided into two farms. The north part was purchased by Mr. Philip Zeller, the younger son of old Mr. Zeller, while Jacob Zeller retained the south part, containing the old "Cressman Buildings."

Here Mr. Zeller died July 18th, 1854. His family consisted of five children, viz:

8386 II ZELLER, JACOB, the eldest in family, was born February 24th, 1813. On June 19th, 1849, he was married to Catherine, daughter of Martin and Susannah (Reis) Schiedel. She was born November 21st, 1825. After their marriage they moved on the south half of the old "Cressman Farm," a little more than a mile south of Breslau where they resided until his death which took place May 20th, 1886. His widow resides in Breslau. Their family consists of eleven children, viz:

8387 III ZELLER, ELIZABETH, was born January 19th, 1850. She is married to Gideon Break, a farmer. They reside near her old homestead. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Magdalena, IV Noah, IV Emma, IV Jeremiah, IV Wesley, IV Jacob, and IV Eldon.

8388 III ZELLER, NOAH, was born October 12th, 1851. He is married to Anna Todt. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as band master and teacher in all kinds of musical instruments. His family consists of seven children, namely: IV Ellen, IV Julius, IV Laura, IV Almah, IV Harvey, IV Mary, and IV Ernst.

8389 III ZELLER, JACOB, was born October 7th, 1853, and died January 15th, 1857.

8390 III ZELLER, SARAH, was born March 9th, 1856. She is married to Daniel Souder. They reside on the old "Joe Witmer Farm" one mile north of Preston. Their family is as follows, namely: IV Minerva, IV Flora C., IV Ephraim H., IV Elvie, and IV Gordon.

8391 III ZELLER, ANNA, was born March 21st, 1858. She is married to Henry E. Weber, a farmer. They reside on the west side of the Grand River, opposite her father's old homestead. Their family consists of three children, namely: IV Ada, IV Laura, and IV Alpheus.

8392 III ZELLER, JOSEPH, was born May 5th, 1860. He was married to Lizzie Jaemison who died some years ago, leaving one son named IV Robert William. He is again married to Mamie Bossler and resides in Oil City, Pennsylvania. His family with second wife is as follows: IV Catherine (dead), IV Helen, IV Mildred, and IV Rebecca.

8393 III ZELLER, SUSANNAH, was born November 14th, 1861. She is married to Milo Clemens. They reside at Rochester, New York. To them were born three children, namely: IV May, IV Roy, and a son (dead) whose name was not received.

8394 III ZELLER, PHILIP, was born September 19th, 1863. He is married to Mary Riener. They reside on the old homestead where he is engaged in farming. To them are born five children, namely: IV Elsie, IV Selina, IV Annie, IV Walter, and IV Carl.

8395 III ZELLER, RACHEL, was born August 20th, 1865. She is married to Charles Brandon. They reside near Galt and have a family of three children, namely: IV Eda Gertrude, IV William Zeller (dead), and IV Harvey.

8396 III ZELLER, HANNAH, was born July 16th, 1867. She is married to George Witter. They reside in Berlin. No family.

8397 III ZELLER, SIMEON, was born November 23rd,

1869. He is a chemist and druggist and has his place of business at Sault Ste Marie, Michigan. He is not married.

8398 II ZELLER, ELIZABETH, the second eldest in the family, was born February 19th, 1815. She was first married to George Eckert and after his decease to a Mr. Stover. They resided in St. Catharines, Ontario, where she died June 14th, 1871. No information received of her family.

8399 II ZELLER, PHILIP, was born August 2nd, 1818. He was married, February 28th, 1848, to Sarah Schiedel who was born December 22nd, 1826. Soon after their marriage they moved on the farm where they still reside, about a mile or so south of Breslau. To them was born a family of seven children, viz:

8400 III ZELLER, CATHERINE, the eldest in family, was born December 25th, 1848. She was married to Jacob Reist. They resided near the Woolwich boundary line, a little south-east of Conestogo, where she died November 9th, 1892, leaving two sons named IV George and IV Philip.

8401 III ZELLER, SUSANNAH, was born September 24th, 1850. She is home and unmarried.

8402 III ZELLER, PHOEBE, was born November 29th, 1854. She is married to Jacob Dezzler, a farmer. They reside about one-half mile from her father's home. Their family consists of three children, namely: IV Oscar, IV Harvey, and IV Pula.

8403 III ZELLER, MARY ANN, was born December 23rd, 1859. She is married to Abraham Weber. They reside in Maryborough, Wellington County, near Lebanon P. O. They have a family of six

children, namely: IV Norman (dead), IV Simeon, IV Jacob (dead), IV David, IV Edwin, and IV Lincoln.

8404 III ZELLER, LYDIA, was born November 15th, 1861. She is unmarried and has her home with her parents.

8405 III ZELLER, AMELIA, was born July 30th, 1865. She is married to Jesse Connor, a merchant tailor. They reside in Breslau and have one child named IV Melvin Philip.

8406 III ZELLER, JACOB S., was born September 24th, 1870. He is married to Minnie Mader and resides on his father's farm where he is engaged in farming.

8407 II ZELLER, MARGARET, was born October 13th, 1820. She is married to Ezekiel Russ. They reside near Beamsville, Lincoln County, Ontario. No information in regard to the family.

8408 II ZELLER, PHOEBE, was born February 28th, 1825. She was married to Henry Huff. They resided at Petoskey, Michigan, where she died January 2nd, 1886. No information pertaining to their family.

ZIEGLER.

The Zieglers were of the earliest settlers of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. The old pioneer, I Michael Ziegler, a native of Switzerland, was born probably as early as 1680 if not earlier. During the beginning of the eighteenth century, probably in 1707, he emigrated to America and settled in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where we find that he was, in 1734, taxed for one hundred acres of land. We have no means of ascertaining the name of his wife nor names of his children. So much we know that one of his sons, named II Andrew, was married to Elizabeth, daughter of Dillman and Elizabeth Kolb, and resided near Skippack, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, where he was the possessor of a large tract of land. His family consisted of four children, namely: III Michael, III Andrew, III Dillman, and III Elizabeth who was married to Abraham Detweiler.

8409 **III ZIEGLER, DILLMAN, was married but name** of his wife was not ascertained. His family consisted of six children, namely: IV Andrew, IV Dillman, IV Jacob, IV Elizabeth, married to Gottshall Godschalk, IV Hester, married to Garret Godschalk, and IV Barbara, married to Jacob Godschalk. All of the last named family remained in Pennsylvania save IV Dillman who was born about the year 1781. He was married to Catherine Schwartz who was born in 1782, and after her decease he was again married to Elizabeth Clemmer. In 1816 he, with his first wife and family together with Joseph Bowman and family, Samuel Eby and family, and Joseph Clemmer, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County, Ontario, near the village of Preston, on the farm now known as the old "Salyard Farm." Here they resided for quite a number of years. After he left the farm he resided in different places and finally settled in Hamilton, Ontario, where he died in 1848. To them was born a family of six children, viz:

8410 V ZIEGLER, JACOB, the eldest in the family, was married to Sarah Clemmer. He died many years ago, leaving one son, viz:

8411 VI ZIEGLER, AARON, was born December 16th, 1829. On April 11th, 1854, he was married to Anna Rudy who was born October 14th, 1827, and died February 20th, 1862. After her decease he was again married to Esther Lichty who was born May 29th, 1839. They resided two miles south-west of Elmira where he died January 13th, 1885, leaving a family of twelve children, viz:

8412 VII ZIEGLER, JACOB R., was born April 10th, 1856. He is married to Catherine Koenig. They reside in Bruce County, near Chippewa Hill, where he is engaged in farming. Their family is as follows, namely: VIII Addison, VIII Lizzie, and VIII George.

8413 VII ZIEGLER, BARBARA, was born January 21st, 1858. She is married to Aaron Martin, a farmer residing near Gorrie, Ontario. They have no family.

8414 VII ZIEGLER, SARAH, was born October 27th, 1859. She is married to Solomon Lichty. See Solomon Lichty's family.

8415 VII ZIEGLER, JOHN L., was born October 11th, 1865. He is married to Christina Gimmer. They reside in the town of Waterloo where he is engaged as a moulder in the foundry. Their family consists of two children, namely: VIII Ella Wilhelmine and VIII Eda.

8416 VII ZIEGLER, AARON L., was born October 8th, 1867, and died same day.

8417 VII ZIEGLER, MOSES L., was born September

10th, 1868. He is unmarried and has his home with Levi Lichty near Waterloo.

8418 VII ZIEGLER, BENJAMIN L., was born July 25th, 1870, and died same day.

8419 VII ZIEGLER, MENNO L., was born May 1st, 1873. He is a miller by trade and is engaged in the Elmira Roller Flour Mills. He has his home with his mother who resides in Elmira.

8420 VII ZIEGLER, EZRA L, was born November 16th, 1875. He is a cabinet maker and is at present engaged in the shops of The Berlin Piano and Organ Company.

8421 VII ZIEGLER, LYDIA ANN L., was born February 11th, 1878, and died same day.

8422 VII ZIEGLER, HENRY L., was born June 23rd, 1879. He is at home.

8423 VII ZIEGLER, GEORGE L., was born March 28th, 1883. He is attending school.

8424 V ZIEGLER, NANCY, the second in family, was born February 1st, 1810, and died October 14th, 1872. She was married to Samuel Fried. See Samuel Fried's family.

8425 V ZIEGLER, ELIZABETH, was born December 15th, 1811, and was married to Abraham Kolb who was born June 13th, 1806, and died April 14th, 1874. After his decease she was married to Jonas Wenger. They resided on the old "Jacob Clemens Farm" near Breslau. She died January 5th, 1896. See Abram Kolb's family.

8426 V ZIEGLER, NOAH, was born November 15th, 1815, and was married to Catherine Bingeman who

was born December 21st, 1819. He died in Indiana, U. S., September 19th, 1893. She is residing in Berlin with one of her children. Their family consisted of nine children, viz:

8427 VI ZIEGLER, HANNAH, is married to Allan Kaufman. They reside at Brantford, Ontario. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Andrew, VII Sarah Etta, VII Albert, VII Allan, VII John, VII Edgar, VII Isaac, VII Rena, VII Katie, VII Leslie, and VII Clayton.

8428 VI ZIEGLER, EMANUEL, is married to Harriet Niel. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in manufacturing brushes. To them were born the following children, namely: VII George, VII Romanda, VII Clive, VII Daniel, VII Hettie, VII Rosa, VII Mary, VII Katie, and VII Georgiana.

8429 VI ZIEGLER, SARAH, is married to Abram Sherk. They reside in Victoria, B. C., where he is engaged in the grocery business. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Grace and VII Amsey.

8430 VI ZIEGLER, ISAAC, was first married to Josephene Christ and after her decease to Ann Ford. They reside in Laurenceburg, Indiana, where he is engaged in the coffee mills. His family consists of two sons, namely: VII Nelson and VII Clayton.

8431 VI ZIEGLER, JOHN B., is married to Rosa Corpley. They reside in Kansas City, Kansas, where he is engaged in the carriage works. His family is as follows, namely: VII Edward, VII Olive, and VII Kate.

8432 VI ZIEGLER, NOAH B., is unmarried. It is not known where he resides at present.

8433 VI ZIEGLER, AARON B., is married and resides

in Atlanta, Georgia, where he is engaged as a carriage painter. His family consisted of five children, of whom two are dead. Names of his wife and children were not received.

8434 VI ZIEGLER, MARIA MELISSA, died, aged about 9 months.

8435 VI ZIEGLER, LYDIA ANN, is married to James Ford, a merchant. They reside in Kansas City, U. S. Their family is as follows, namely: VII Alson, VII Franklin (dead), VII Katie, VII Agnes, VII Elmer, VII Hugh L., VII Mabel, and VII John.

8436 V ZIEGLER, EMANUEL, was married to Matilda Zinn and after her decease he was again married but name of second wife was not received. At present he resides at Wellsburg, Erie County, Pennsylvania. To him were born nine children, namely: VI Elmina, VI Lovina, VI Lucinda, VI Franklin, VI Kate, VI George, VI William, and VI Webster of first wife, and VI Washington of second wife.

8437 V ZIEGLER, ENOCH, the youngest in the family, was born March 2nd, 1822. He was married to Hannah Hallman who was born November 3rd, 1824. The first two years after their marriage they resided in North Dumfries Township, at Mr. Solomon Gehman's. In 1846 they moved to Berlin where they have resided ever since. He is a carriage builder by trade. His family consists of ten children viz:

8438 VI ZIEGLER, JOHN, is married to Fannie Date. They reside at Grand Forks, North Dakota, where he is engaged in wagon building.

8439 VI ZIEGLER, HELEN, was married to Benjamin

S. Eby who died February 23rd, 1881, and after his decease she was again married to John R. Eden. They reside in Berlin. She has no family.

8440 VI ZIEGLER, BENJAMIN, is married to Maggie Pringle. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged as carriage builder.

8441 VI ZIEGLER, ANGELINE, was married to Jacob M. Staebler. They resided in Berlin where she died March 11th, 1883.

8442 VI ZIEGLER, ALBERT, is married to Emma Eby. They reside in Vancouver, B. C., where he is engaged in a varnish factory.

8443 VI ZIEGLER, LIZZIE, is engaged as a teacher in the Waterloo Central School. She is not married.

8444 VI ZIEGLER, DILMAN H., is a miller by trade but owing to the effects of a stroke of paralysis he has been unable to follow his trade for some time. He resides with his parents in Berlin.

8445 VI ZIEGLER, ORLANDO, is married to Lottie Schultz. They reside in Toronto where he is engaged in the dentistry business.

8446 VI ZIEGLER, CYRUS, is married to Minnie Silverthorn. They reside in London, Ontario, where he is engaged in the dentistry business.

8447 VI ZIEGLER, REBECCA, is unmarried and when in Berlin she resides with her parents.

ADOLPH.

8448 I ADOLPH, HENRY, was born in the Canton of Berne, Switzerland. The date of his birth was not received. He was a miller by trade. He served as a soldier on the "King's Life Guards" in France, and during the Louis Phillippe Rebellion of 1833 he fought on the street of Paris. After this rebellion he returned to Switzerland and acted as constable until he left for America. He, in company with his wife, came to America in 1835 or 1836, just before the McKenzie Rebellion, and settled in Waterloo County. His family consisted of ten children, viz:

8449 II ADOLPH, CATHARINE, was married to a Mr. Longfield. They reside in Marshall County, Indiana, where he is engaged in farming. To them were born ten children, namely: III Kate, III Lizzie, III Imanuel, III Daniel, III Fred, III David, III Samuel, III Edward, III Henry, and a daughter (dead), name not received.

8450 II ADOLPH, PETER, died young.

8451 II ADOLPH, FREDERICK, was married to Margaret Lamont and resides in Chesley, Bruce County, Ontario, where he is engaged as a sawmiller. To them were born the following children, namely: III Henry L., III Jennie L., III George L. (dead), III Catharine E., III Frederick W. J., and III Frank L.

8452 II ADOLPH, MARY ANN, was married to Daniel Haug. They reside in Bruce County, about six miles from Port Elgin, where he is engaged as a farmer. They have a family of six children,

namely: III Mary Ann, III Michael, III Noah, III Lena, III Catharine, and III John (dead).

8453 II ADOLPH, SOPHIA, was married to a Mr. Hollzinger. They reside in the state of Indiana where he follows harness making. They have a family of six children, namely: III Alice (dead), III Alma, and two girls and two boys whose names were not received.

8454 II ADOLPH, JOHN, was married to Margaret Ann Belch. They reside in Chesley, Bruce County, where he is engaged as a wagon-maker. Their family consists of the following children, namely: III John H., III Mary H., III Caroline, III Margaret Ann (dead), III Robert L., III Louisa H., and III Thomas A.

8455 II ADOLPH, HENRY, was married to Magdalena Krantzer. They live near Chesley, Bruce County, Ontario, where he follows farming. Their family consists of the following children, namely: III Mary Ann, III Alfred, III Catharine, III Jacob, III Caroline, III Henry, III Margaret, and III Allimund.

8456 II ADOLPH, LOUIS, was married to Nancy Rosenberger. They reside in Wallace Township, Ontario, near Listowel, where he follows farming. Their family consists of the following children, namely: III Samuel L., III Austin SinClair, III Milton Ira, III John (dead), III Rosetta (dead), and III Ella (dead).

8457 II ADOLPH, SAMUEL, is dead.

8458 II ADOLPH, CAROLINE, was married to Carl Knedder. They reside in Santa Cruz, California, where he is engaged as a painter. They have no family.

BENNER.

8459 I BENNER, PHILIP, a native of Baden, Germany, was born in June, 1780. When a young man he emigrated to America and settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he was married and raised a family of eight children. About the year 1825 he, with his family, moved to Canada and settled in Waterloo County where he died October 20th, 1870. His family is as follows, viz:

8460 II BENNER, JACOB, was born August 25th, 1808. In 1825 he came to Canada and settled in Berlin where he was engaged in blacksmithing* until 1839 when he went to West Montrose where he erected a saw mill and woollen mills, and also was proprietor of a beautiful farm. He was doing quite an extensive business for many years. He was married to Nancy Bear, March 13th, 1830. She was born April 29th, 1808, and died August 22nd, 1867. He died March 17th, 1890. To them were born six children, viz:

8461 III BENNER, MARIA, was born December 25th, 1830. On October 21st, 1852, she was married to Jacob Reinhart who was born June 12th, 1831. They resided about four miles east of Berlin where he was engaged in farming and manufacturing grain cradles, etc. From here they moved to Nelson Ruby's farm near Manheim where they resided until 1888 when they moved to Berlin where they still reside. To them were born seven children, viz:

SAMUEL was born August 17th, 1854, and died July 29th, 1855.

* His old shop stood where now is built the Central Hotel.

JOHN was born November 16th, 1855. He is married to Leah Eby and resides near Port Elgin, Ontario, where he is engaged in farming.

HENRY was born December 27th, 1857, and died December 27th, 1857.

ISAAC was born January 20th, 1859, and died May 8th, 1881.

JACOB was born August 21st, 1861. He is married to Catharine Rickert and resides in Berlin where he is engaged as a cabinet maker.

NANCY was born August 4th, 1864. She is married to Samuel E. Eby. They reside about three miles west of Berlin where he is engaged in farming.

ANDREW was born June 28th, 1867. He is married to Elizabeth Rickert. They reside in Berlin where he is engaged in manufacturing washing machines.

8462 III BENNER, CATHARINE, was born June 9th, 1832. She is married to Elisha Hewitt, a farmer. They reside near West Montrose, Ontario.

8463 III BENNER, JOHN, was born February 10th, 1834. He is married to Ellen Struthers and at present he resides at Owen Sound, Ontario, where he is engaged in the woollen mills.

8464 III BENNER, WILLIAM, was born April 17th, 1836. He is married to Agnes Isaac. They reside at Severn Bridge, Muskoka, where he is engaged as fireman and engineer.

8465 III BENNER, VICTORIA, was born June 18th, 1838. She is married to Andrew L. Anderson. They resided for many years in Toronto where he

was engaged on the staff of the *Globe* and *Mail* newspapers, and recently came to Berlin where he edits the *Berlin Telegraph.*

8466 III BENNER, JOSEPH, was born March 30th, 1842. He was married to Jessie Hewitt who died in 1879. In 1894 he again married a widow, near Teeswater, whose name could not be learned. At present he resides at Petoskey, Michigan.

8467 II BENNER, JOSEPH, resided in Woolwich Township, but moved to Illinois many years ago. Names of his wife and children were not received.

8468 II BENNER, JOHN, resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, where he died.

8469 II BENNER, GEORGE, resided in Bridgeport, Ontario, for some years, then he moved to Illinois.

8470 II BENNER, BARBARA, was married to John McNab. They resided in Pennsylvania, thence in Bridgeport and West Montrose, Ontario. The husband left her years ago and she now resides with a daughter in Dubuque, Iowa.

8471 II BENNER, ANNA, was married to William Clarke. They resided in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

8472 II BENNER, MARIA, was married but never lived in Canada. No report of her whereabouts.

8473 II BENNER, EVANNAH, the youngest of old Philip Benner's children, was married and moved west. No report of family.

DEVITT.

DEVITT, BARNABAS, (Vol. I, No. 2322) came to Canada in 1812 and came to Waterloo in 1815.

DEVITT, IDA, (Vol I, No. 2326) has a family of three children, namely: Ethel, George and Emma Adline.

DEVITT, EMMA, (Vol. I, No. 2327) has a family of six children, namely: Evyline, Lilie, Edna, Rosa, Louis, and William.

DEVITT, HARVEY, (Vol. I, No. 2328) has a family of one child named Sadie.

DEVITT, ALVAH, (Vol. I, No. 2329) has a family of three children, namely: Gladys Emma, Edward Blake, and Alexander Reginald.

DEVITT, DANIEL (Vol. I, No. 2332) died in infancy.

HAMMACHER.

III HAMMACHER, SAMUEL, (No. 3684, Vol. I) was married to Elizabeth Goebel who died at Doon, Waterloo County, Ontario, in May, 1851, and after her decease he was again married to Mary Ann Burns who died at Grand Rapids, Michigan, in 1891. Mr. Hammacher's family consisted of thirteen chil-

dren, ten† of whom were born unto his first wife. Their names are as follows:

IV HAMMACHER, HARRIET, the eldest, was born in 1832. She is married to George Seips. They reside in Minton City, Sanlac County, Michigan. Their family consists of six children, namely: V John, V William, V Franklin, V Edward, V Mary, and V Henry.

IV HAMMACHER, LUCINDA, was born in 1834. See Vol. II, Nos. 7343 to 7351.

IV HAMMACHER, CYRUS, was born in 1836. He is married and resides near St. Clair P. O., St. Clair County, Michigan. His family consists of six children, namely: V George, V Harriet, V Charles, V Lydia, and two others whose names were not received.

IV HAMMACHER, NANCY, was born in 1838. She is married to Abraham Rosenberger. They reside at Reed City, Michigan. Their family consists of eight children, namely: V Emma, V Adeline, V Rose, V William, V Carrie, V Mima, V Hudson, and V Judson.

IV HAMMACHER, JOHN, was born in 1840. He is married and resides near Iona, Michigan. His family consists of several children but names were not received.

IV HAMMACHER, LYDIA, was born in 1842. She is married to John Kerchhoff. They reside at Ruby P. O., St. Clair County, Michigan. She has a family of several children but names were not received.

† All of the ten children are living yet. Not many families of ten where they all live together for forty-five years.

IV HAMMACHER, ISAAC, was born in 1844. He was married twice but both wives are dead. His family consists of one child, a daughter whose name was not received. At present he resides at Port Huron, Michigan.

IV HAMMACHER, HENRY, was born in 1846. He is married and resides in West Branch, Michigan. His family consists of several children. No names received.

IV HAMMACHER, JAMES, was born in 1848. He is married and resides in the vicinity of Reed City, Michigan. His family consists of five children but names were not received.

IV HAMMACHER, GEORGE, the youngest son of first wife, was born in 1850. He is married and resides at Ross Station, Michigan, where he is engaged in working for some railroad company. His family consists of several children, names not received.

IV HAMMACHER, MOSES, was born in 1854. He was married and resided near Reed City, Michigan, where he died in the summer of 1892, leaving a wife and one son.

IV HAMMACHER, MARY, was born in 1856 and died, aged about 6 months.

IV HAMMACHER, DAVID, the youngest in the family, was born in 1858. He is married and resides in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he is engaged in the mercantile business. His family consists of one son, name not received.

WIDEMAN, BARBARA,* daughter of Jacob and Barbara (Lichty) Wideman (No. 8041, Vol. II), was first married to Jacob Stouffer and after his decease to Jacob Lehman.

* This name was not given by parties who handed in report of Jacob Wideman's family (No. 8051). Was afterwards received from John L. Wideman, St. Jacobs, Ontario. (Thanks for additions and corrections).

DECEASED.

The following parties whose names appear on the pages of this work have died while the volumes were being published, namely:

Albright, Hilda, daughter of No. 1, died November 7, 1895.
Bachman, Mrs. Leopold,† died April 23, 1895.
Baumann, Anna, wife of No. 7935, died May 19, 1895.
Baumann, Abraham, No. 326, died in December, 1895.
Bechtel, Joseph, No. 651, died October 4, 1895.
Bechtel, Magdalena, No. 6301, died May 30, 1895.
Bechtel, Sylvia, daughter of George, died August 14, 1895.
Bergey, Susan, No. 896, died March 13, 1895.
Bingeman, Alfred, son of No. 1052, died December 16th, 1895.
Bowman, Mary (Polly), No. 259 (Mrs. John Unger), died Oct. 7, 1895.
Bowman, Edgar L., No. 439, died October 12, 1895.
Bowman, Leander, No. 245, died September 24, 1895.
Bowman, Joshua S., No. 234, died April 8th, 1895.
Bowman, Hannah U., No 115, died in September, 1895.
Bock, Mrs. Moses, died December 8th, 1895.
Bricker, Mabel Florence, daughter of No. 1317, died Sept 9, 1895.
Brubacher, Ida Laura, daughter of No. 1407, died September 12, 1895.
Brubacher, Catharine, wife of No. 1442, died February 1st, 1895.
Clemens, Walter Bowman, son of Dr. L. B. Clemens (No. 1822), was born September 15th, 1895, and died December 6th, 1895.
Eby, Benjamin W., No. 2438, died January 9, 1896.
Eby, Nellie Grace, daughter of No. 2425, died September 24, 1895.
Erb, Allan, son of No 2912, died March 28, 1895.
Ernst, John, No. 2957, died August 24, 1895.

† Mr. L. Bachman is a son of No. 6428.

Gingerich, Sarah Jane, wife of No. 3134, died January 22nd, 1895.
Groff, Isaac Eby, No. 3381, died September 22, 1895.
Hagey, Mrs. Rebecca, wife of No. 3465, died November 4, 1895.
Hagey, Milton, son of No. 3464, died January 18, 1896.
Hallman, Clarence, son of No. 3627, died in March, 1895.
Hallman, Alvin, son of No. 3508, died November 25th, 1895.
Haug, Mrs. Frederick, No. 5266, died December 6th, 1895.
Haug, Paulina, daughter of No. 5266, died September 18, 1894.
Hilborn, Carrie E., daughter of No. 3729, died July 1, 1895.
Lichty, Mrs. Rebecca, wife of No. 4239, died June 3rd, 1895.
Martin, Mrs. Leah, wife of No. 4393, died January 17, 1896.
Martin, Mrs. Peter M., died September 30, 1895.
Martin, Samuel E., No. 4628, died November 28, 1895.
Master, John, No. 4644, died September 23, 1895.
Meyer, Mrs. Angeline, wife of No. 4745, died May 12, 1895.
Oberholtzer, Vernorman Henry, son of No. 5052, died Sept. 27, 1895.
Reist, David, No. 5206, died November 26, 1895.
Roat, Mrs. Sarah, wife of No. 5322, died October 3, 1895.
Rosenberger, Mrs. Hannah, wife of No. 5410, died November 19, 1895.
Sararas, Mrs. Margaret, wife of No. 5521, died November 4, 1895.
Shantz, Catharine Elizabeth, daughter of No. 6650, died Mar. 20, 1895.
Shantz, John Elmer, son of No. 6764, died December 30, 1894.
Shirey, Samuel, No. 5574, died December 11, 1895.
Shirk, Mrs. Magdalena, wife of No. 5663, died November 7, 1895.
Shirk, Mrs. Leah, wife of No. 5683, died November 4, 1895.
Shoemaker, Mrs. Anna, wife of No 7112, died August 20, 1895.
Shoemaker, John, No. 7074, died September 30, 1895.
Sitler, Velina, No. 7214, died January 23, 1896.
Snyder, Benjamin, son of No. 6271, died February 10, 1895.
Weber, Mrs. Lydia, wife of No. 7949, died November 12, 1895.
Wenger, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of No. 7994, died January 5, 1896.
Wideman, Alice, daughter of No. 8057, died June 27th, 1895.

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